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Happy birthday

Allen Terrace celebrates 20 years

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

Fran Hopp is using the same hand-me-down desk she worked off of when she started at Allen

Terrace 20 years ago.
It's a bit scuffed and rattles when the drawers are opened, but for her, it's one of those small sacrifices which needed to be made if the senior living complex idea would survive.

"You just pay very careful attention to the bottom line," said Hopp, the director of Allen Terrace, then glanced down at a particularly deep gouge. You've got to admit
— it's sort of a charming piece of furniture in its own way.

To date, only four other communities in Michigan have constructed senior housing facilities without asking Uncle Sam for help. Of course, those towns had names like Ford and Dow to help them out along the way.

But Northville? Hopp smiled and repeated herself.

You just watch the bottom line carefully. That's about all I can say."

CELEBRATION

WHAT: Allen Terrace Open WHEN: May 17, 1 p.m. to 4

WHERE: Allen Terrace apartment complex VIPs: Mayor Christopher John-

son will read proclamation from Council

PARKING: At St. Paul's Luthers an Church. Free shuttle service will take visitors to Allen Terrace OTHER: Musical entertainment, refreshments provided #1

The small but significant budgeting miracle atop High Street was made possible without a dime from either the state or federal government. Of course, that was more out of economic realities of the time than the desire of the

District MEAP scores near top in metro area

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By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Northville's fourth and seventh graders are among the best and the brightest in Wayne County that is, if MEAP scores are any available within the next couple of

indication. The latest batch "What we need to of standardized tests, administered in January, measured the reading are doing as a district they're intended to and math skills of

the two grade levels. Over time." Results showed Northville fourth graders are No. 1 in the county

math, and behind only Grosse Pointe in reading. Seventh graders are No. 2 in math and reading, also behind Grosse Pointe.

It's wonderful but we have work to do yet." Northville Schools

Superintendent Leonard Rezmiers-

Rezmierski said that results of the fifth and eighth grade writing and science MEAPs should be

weeks, and he expects the results from the 11th grade MEAP this fall.

provide information on the success of the district.

"What we need to

Leonard Rezmierski superintendent

know is how well we are doing as a district over time, Rezmierski said.

All of the scores will be analyzed this summer and compared to past results. Necessary adjustments to the curriculum will then

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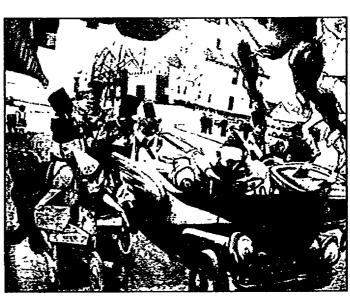
Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Northville High School Senior Prom attendees Emily Howland and Steven Weicksel enjoy a dance together at Friday's affair at the Dearborn Hyatt Hotel. For more on prom turn to 20A.

DISCOVER ART IN NORTHVILLE SUNDAY, MAY 17

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This is a photo of a part of Matt Gordon's painting/collage "Polish Nostaligia".



Northville artist Matthew Gordon works on his multi-media creation "Not All Toys Should Dance by Themselves."

Area artists to display work at art walk

with Star Wars figures.

Making up scenarios for the toys is what Matt Gordon credits with giving him his first glimpse of creative insight.

Gordon has been busy in his Northville studio preparing mixed media collages for "Discover Art in Northville." His work will adorn the walls of Poole's Tavern and Genetti's Little Theatre, just two of the participating businesses in the city's first-ever walking art

"I'm going to put this city on the map for all the right reasons," the 24-year-old artist

Gordon studied at the Center for Creative Studies and the Columbus College of Art and Design and now does full-time freelance illustrations for advertising agencies throughout

"I really don't like having a plan, except being able to create like this and make an

or some, artistic inspiration starts honest living. It enables me to wake up with a smile every morning." Gordon said.

Gordon credits his artistic influences as including Jasper Johns, Kent Williams. Basquait and his cat, Nancy.

Visitors to downtown Northville on Sunday, May 17 will have the chance to find out more about what inspires Gordon and other local artists whose works are set to be featured at more than 22 participating businesses along Main and Center Streets.

You'll get to see all the talent you didn't know about in Northville," said Jessica Poole, 15. who is preparing chalk drawings, oils and ceramics for display in her parents' tavern.

She will be among three generations contributing work to the exhibit. Her mother will display watercolor paintings and collages while her grandmother, Elaine Major, will submit acrylic paintings of primitive animals

and dimensional floral watercolors. "I wanted to help showcase some of the talent in town that we're not aware of and to bring some more diverse art to the community," Mary Poole said. "I guess my hope is that we discover there's more diversity than just the mainstream, kind of 'safe' art. I was really surprised that there was so much participation and artists just seemed to come out of the woodwork.

Poole's will also feature prints by Jason Bolger, a Northville High School senior who recently earned a photography scholarship to the Pittsburgh School of Art, and Jeffrey Logan Von Buskirk, a Northville painter who has done numerous murals in restaurants throughout Metro Detroit.

Von Buskirk, 26, spends late nights in his Northville studio painting with oils, latex and acrylics. He said he is looking forward to the exposure that the art walk will offer him and other artists.

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STORY BY WENSDY WHITE *** PHOTOS BY JOHN HEIDER

Township looks to fill several key positions

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By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

Northville Township's staffing situation became a bit cloudier last week, with the announcement that engineer Steve Sills would be resigning his position, but township supervisor Karen Woodside said the situation is being addressed.

"We're trying to replace the staff as expeditiously as possible." Woodside said. "We'd like to do it quickly, but we also want to get the best-quality people for the

Sills' announcement was the fourth departure of significance by township employees in the last year, including the on-again/offagain position of the township

manager. A query is being developed to gather sentiment from other township employees regarding hiring an individual for day-today management.

Other recent resignations include public services director Bill Anderson and township planner Julie Thompson. Thompson is still working for the township, but has scaled back her hours to permit her to spend more time with her family.

Though the interviews to determine the merit of a manager were hoped to be underway before now. Woodside said she had reminded the project's coordinator. Dick Hennigsen, of the urgency of the matter.

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THURSDAY, MAY 14

TOPS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly for all ages meets at 9 a.m. at the Northville Area Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady. For more information call 349-8354.

NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY: New Life Bible Study meets from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Northville on Eight Mile at Taft Rd. Baby sitting is provided. Newcomers are welcome. For more information call Sybil at 349-0006 or for babysitting call Judy at 348-1761.

FRIDAY, MAY 15

VOLLEYBALL: SENIOR Northville seniors play volleyball from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Northville Parks and Recre-

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SATURDAY, MAY 16

NSDAR MEETING: The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter NSDAR meeting will be held at 1 p.m. in the Northville District Library meeting room. The Lexington Alarm CAR group will do the program under the leadership of Sue Petres. For more information call 313-331-1683.

SUNDAY, MAY 17

MEMORIAL SERVICES for Michelle Moorhead will take place at 6 p.m., at the Northville High School Softball Field. The community is invited to attend.

MONDAY, MAY 18

VOLLEYBALL: SENIOR SENIOR VOLLETBALE.
Northville seniors play volleyball from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main. There

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TUESDAY, MAY 19

NORTHVILLE ROTARY: The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon in the Boll Fellowship Hall at the First Presbyterian Church of

SINGLE PARENTS: Single Point Ministries Single Parents group meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7 p.m., in room C317/C319 at New Ward Presbyterian Church. The group offers support, fun, fellowship, and other activities. Free child care is available, for more information call 734-422-1854.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

BRIDGE: Bridge is played every Wednesday at the Northville Senior Center, 215 W. Cady Street, beginning at 12:15 p.m. Cost is \$1 per

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: Arbor Hospice is beginning a *B'tweeners" grief support group at St. Timothy's Presbyterian Church in Livonia. The group is for widowed men and women, mostly over the age of 45. This group will meet the third Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. For more information call 1-800-783-5764.

Spring season brings threat of severe, violent weather

Thunderstorm season has arrived in Michigan, bringing with it the heavy rain, gusty winds and vivid lightning that sometimes can affect electric service to homes and businesses. Crews are ready to restore power outages, but the public plays a role, too - staying safe around electricity when bad weather strikes.

Detroit Edison is reminding customers who may encounter hazardous situations involving power lines to follow an important safety rule: Stay away from downed power lines and anything downed lines may be touching.

Fallen wires should be reported immediately to Detroit Edison by calling 1-800-477-4747 so that public safety teams can be dispatched to secure the area until crews can remove the hazard.

Detroit Edison customers also may use the same "800" number to report power outages or receive restoration estimates using the utility's automated phone system features.

When severe weather happens, Detroit Edison recommends the following tips when electrical service is

· Always be prepared for an emergency. A batteryoperated radio, fresh replacement batteries, a flashlight and candles, a first-aid kit, bottled water and non-perishable food should be kept in a centralized

 Don't open refrigerators and freezers more often than absolutely necessary. A closed refrigerator will stay cold for 12 hours. Kept closed, a well-filled freezer will preserve food for two to three days. Partially

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thawed food or food that has ice crystals usually can be refrozen.

• Turn off lights and unplug all appliances and sensitive electronic devices like computers and compact disc players to prevent an electrical overload when power is restored. Leave one light switch on to indicate when service returns.

• During low-voltage conditions - when lights are dim and television pictures are smaller - shut off motor-driven appliances such as refrigerators to prevent overheating and possible damage. Sensitive electronic devices also should be unplugged.

 Disconnect house circuits from power lines if you are using a portable generator. Pull or switch to "off" the main fuses or circuit breakers to protect line crews working to restore service. This ensures that electricity is not being transmitted from your house electric system to power lines while crews are working to restore your service.

· Always operate generators outdoors and away from opened windows or vents to avoid dangerous buildup of toxic fumes indoors.

 Stay our of flooded or damp basements or other areas if water is in contact with outlets, a furnace or any electrically operated appliance that is energized. The water or moisture may serve as a conductor of electricity. You could be electrocuted even if wearing rubber boots.

· Listen to local radio stations for updates about electric service restoration efforts.

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city, which had discovered a need for senior housing well before Allen Terrace's cornerstone was set in 1978.

Allen Terrace's history dates all the way back to 1967, when the city applied for a grant from the Department of Housing and Urban Development to build a senior housing development somewhere within Northville. Though grant money was available. HUD required the building be made available to low-income families who would need to receive approval from the federal government before taking occu-

Then-city leaders didn't think highly of those requirements. believing that a building constructed under such guidelines would bring down the property value of homes nearby. Furthermore, pursuant to HUD building requirements, the complex wouldn't be much to rave about in terms of aesthetic, as only bare concrete and a modest amount of trim would be used for building materials.

"If we had gotten the HUD grant, they would have wanted us to build a facility that would have a minimum (amount) of common space, lounges and other such areas," said former city manager Steven Walters.

With those restrictions in place, the city council, housing commission (of which Hopp was a part) and city building authori-ty joined hands to sell general obligation bonds to finance the

Another \$500,000 from the city's public improvement fund was thrown into the pot, taken mostly from rebates from Northville Downs.

At \$2.6 million, Allen Terrace was one of the most expensive and elaborate projects ever taken

John J. O'Brien

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on by the city. The bonds were sold to the public at a 5.9 percent interest rate over 25 years.

What did Hopp think when she realized that meant being in the red until 2002?

"The first two years weren't bad," she quipped. "By about 1981, I'd hear people mention 2002 and it seemed like an eternity. It's hard to believe we're almost there now."

Even the design of Allen Terrace - named for former mayor A. Malcolm Allen - was essentially homespun. Northville Township architect Donald DiComo helped draw up the 'T' shaped building once it was determined the complex would be located on the site occupied by the former Eastlawn Convalescent Center.

The success of Allen Terrace has attracted the attention of other communities across the country, some from as far as Massachusetts, all of whom asked how Northville had managed to construct a 101-room senior housing facility on essentially a shoestring budget.

Despite several delays in the construction, Allen Terrace was dedicated on September of 1979. Within a matter of months, every unit within the development was

"That was pretty impressive," said Hopp, who worked as a senior housing consultant for Plymouth before coming to Allen Terrace. "You don't find that kind of an occupancy rate just any-

Now, only days away from Allen Terrace's 20th anniversary, Hopp looked around her corner office and again down at her desk. She opened a drawer to extract a yellowed newspaper clipping, causing the drawer to

"Some things don't change," she said with a laugh.

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Residents recall Terrace opening

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

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As a resident of Northville for the last 40 years, Allen Terrace resident Edna Stephens would be considered a native in the eyes of most people.

But she doesn't see things quite that way.

"Oh, no - I'm the new kid on the block compared with these folks," she said, pointing around the table at the four of the five other apartment tenants who've been at the complex since its dedi-

Stephens, along with Lola Alexander, Margaret LeFevre, Margaret Nauman, Lela Schnettler and John Vendal have called Allen Terrace home for the duration of its existence.

"They're a unique and fun bunch to have," said Allen Terrace director Fran Hopp. "It's a neat experience to have people who've been here as long as they have."

Schnettler has senior status on all of Allen Terrace's tenants with 102 years of experience behind her. A New York transplant, she isn't much of a baseball fan, but said she'd probably root for the Tigers sooner than she would the

And though her hearing isn't quite what it used to be, Schnettler's skills in the kitchen are still in tact.

Her personal favorite? Cookies.

"I run the electric bill up with my stove," she quipped. "And the recipes don't always come out quite as well as I'd like.

Living at Allen Terrace, she said, has provided her the independence she wouldn't be afforded in a nursing home.

Independence was also integral for LeFevre.

You're allowed to think for yourself here — that's what I enjoy most," she said. "And people are always friendly to each other."

Nauman is the world traveler of the senior residents at Allen Terrace. She said she'd lived in five different homes before coming to the complex after the death of her first husband. Though she said she had the option of living at a home in South Lyon, she said the responsibilities of home upkeep made living in a house impractical.

"I used to mow the lawn on a riding mower, but there comes a point in time when you just can't keep doing those things," he said. "This just seemed like the ideal

And Vendal - the painter smiled when he reminisced about how he was made responsible for feeding the masses at Allen Terrace during an ice storm. We lost all the power and

couldn't cook, so they asked me to go out and buy some hot dogs for a weenle roast," he laughed. "It was an important job."

Though Alexander, LeFevre, Nauman, Schnettler, Stephens

and Vendall have been at Allen Terrace for the longest period of time, they don't have a name for their small fraternity.

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Allan Terrace

resident John

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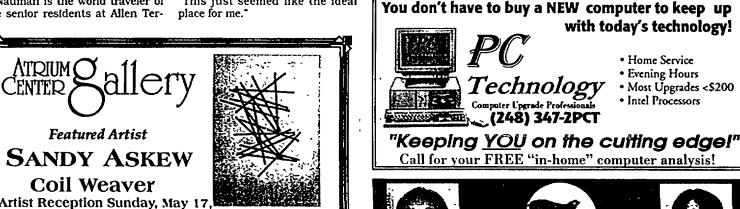
"We're just people who live at Allen Terrace," Stephens said.

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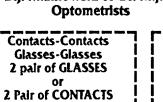
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The employee noticed the bill he had been presented lacked the vertical strip which is now placed inside \$100 bills, but then noticed the issue date was 1950 - prior to when the strips were inserted. The customer told him 1950 was the year he was born.

After the customers left, the employee informed his manager. who contacted a business acquaintance. Using a special pen ink which reacts to counterfeit money by changing color, the group tested the odd bill. A moderate color change in the ink was noted.

The employee said the customers may have been painters based on the state of their attire when they entered the store. The suspects were last seen in a white van. The matter is also being investigated by the U.S. Secret Service.

CAT & MOUSE: Police on patrol duty at around 2:30 a.m. May 8 observed a vehicle heading southbound on Haggerty Road make a wide right turn at the Seven Mile Road intersection. Suspicious of the driver's state of sobriety, police followed the suspect.

The driver then made a quick turn onto Meadowbrook Street and parked in the driveway of the first home in the subdivision. Officers drove on, then waited on Seven Mile Road. A few minutes later, the suspect vehicle reappeared. Once officers turned on the patrol car's headlights, the suspect turned this time onto Fry Street. Officers lost track of the car and again parked on Seven Mile Road.

The suspect reappeared again some 10 minutes later. When police pursued the car a third time, the suspects pulled up in front of another house, exited the car and began walking toward the front door. Officers asked to speak with the driver and the occupants of the vehicle, none of whom said they lived at the house.

When questioned as to why it appeared as if he was avoiding the police, the driver responded by saying "I'm not going to lie to you. I was nervous and I didn't want to get pulled over because I've been

He said he'd consumed about four beers and two cocktails earlier in the night, but stopped drinking



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Police Reports

some 40 minutes prior to leaving the bar.

Reports said the man continued saying throughout police questioning about how nervous he was regarding the matter. When asked if he would submit to a blood alcohol test, the man responded "Hell, yes · let's get on with it."

The owner of the home where the suspects had parked told police he did not know the driver or the occupants of the vehicle and had wondered why people would park in his driveway.

The suspect was arrested and will be in court later this month on charges of driving under the influ-

DICE, DOORS AND DARKNESS: Meijer store security stopped a 22year-old Walled Lake man at around 7:45 p.m. May 5 after he was seen concealing a \$10 set of gold dice, a \$3 door lock set and \$33 worth of window tints and making an attempt to exit the store without paying for the items. The man will be in court May 27.

OH, NUTS: A 65-year-old woman was apprehended by Meijer store detectives after she was observed hiding \$5.50 in cigarettes and \$3 in mixed nuts in her purse. Police recovered the items. The incident occurred at around 6:30 p.m. May 9.

SHATTERED: Though the inner pane of glass remained in tact, a 67-year-old Silver Springs woman told police May 9 an outer window to her home had been smashed and

splintered throughout. Police observed a large hole in the window, but could not locate an item which may have caused the damage to occur. The window was valued at \$200. There are no sus-

CITY POLICE REPORTS

UP IN SMOKE: A Northville High School freshman got a ticket and a five day suspension after he was caught smoking on school grounds for the third time around 12:40 p.m. May 6.

The 15-year-old was reported to school administration by a hall monitor who noticed that one of the school's outside doors was propped open with a pen. Outside the door, she smelled smoke, rounded a corner and there he was.

She confiscated his cigarette, along with a Marlboro eigarette pack and a lighter.

When the student was caught smoking the first time last October he was ordered to complete a smoking cessation program. After being caught a second time in January, he was suspended for three

VOLUNTARY ARREST: Police were flagged down by a 42-year-old Northville man who turned himself in on a warrant out for his arrest. The warrant was out of Wayne County, Ohio where police said he was wanted for failing to pay his dependents. Just two months ago the man had been arrested by police and held in Wayne County. Mich. but Ohio police never came to pick him up and he was released until the latest incident.

Amerman employee reported a suspicious vehicle making rounds in the school's parking lot around 12:30 p.m. on Friday, May 8. A teacher assistant on playground duty told police that a van circled through the lot very slowly. At first she said she thought the driver was looking for a parking place, but when the van continued onto Eight Mile Road and then circled through again at the same speed about 10 minutes later, she became suspi-

She described the vehicle as a new model blue and white van with red pinstriping along the bottom. Tinted windows prevented her from seeing the driver, she said.

Amerman principal Stephen Anderson immediately issued a bulletin alerting other schools to the suspicious van.

DON'T TALK TO STRANGERS: A Northville mother called police after a car approached her threeyear-old son twice at the corner of S. Ely and Center Street around noon on Saturday, May 9.

The 29-year-old Northville mom was informed by a neighbor that her son was on the street corner and that an unknown couple in a black vehicle was talking to him.

The neighbor, who was on her way to the bank, stopped at a stop sign and observed the situation until the couple pulled away. When she returned to the area on her way home ten minutes later, the couple was back.

The neighbor described the car as a newer model four-door, possibly a Buick and said the passengers were both white and in their 60's.

Police interviewed the boy, but had no luck getting information SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE: An from him because of his young age.

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For instance, Roman said the restaurants require enyone 24 years of age or younger to place their signature on a sign-in sheet after 8 p.m. That, he said, provides a check against the signa-ture appearing on the identification card. About 160 such stenatures will be placed on a sheet during a weekend, he said.

Additionally, Roman said the bar offers a cash bonus to staff members who confiscate false identification cards, which are ultimately turned over to the Secretary of State office. Around 30 such cards were turned over to the state last year, he said.

Roman said Wooly Bully's has been cited once previous to Friday for furnishing alcohol to a patron under 21. In that situation, the police decoy managed to be overlooked by the door monitor, who was in the process of escorting a disorderly person from the bar following an alterca-

Summer said the sting operations help drive the zero-toler-

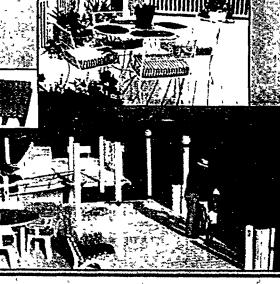
ance message home.

I think the message is getting through to our area businesses, Summer said.

Using a different youth who had no identification, township police also conducted a similar sweep of area businesses selling tobacco cigarettes, but found no businesses willing to sell in the minor. The legal age for possession of tobacco is 18.



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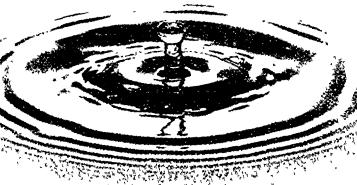
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Obituaries

BERNICE M. STEWART

Bernice Mary Stewart, 89, died April 28, in St. Mary's Hospital, Livonia. She was born Nov. 1. 1908, in Madison, Wis., to Jacob Vincent and Susan Demuth.

Mrs. Stewart was a homemaker and lived most of her adult life in the area. She was a former member of the Detroit Women's Club.

She is survived by sons, Vincent R. McLean of Westfield, N.J., James P. McLean of Novi, and Robert W. McLean of Kalamazoo; one sister, Cecila Brinker of Delhi, Ontario: ten grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

death by her husbands, F.R. McLean and Lester E. Stewart.

Services were held on Friday, May 1, at Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home in Northville. The Rev. W. Kent Clise, First Presbyterian Church of Northville, was the officiant.

Memorials to the Alzheimers Association would be appreciated by the family.

EBBA G. WARNING

Ebba G. Warning, 68, of Northville died May 8 in Woodward Hills Nursing Home, Bloomfield Hills. She was born July 7. 1929, in Detroit to Fred and Henrietta (Pedersen) Faaborg.

Mrs. Warning, a resident of Northville for 38 years, was a member of the Northville Garden Club.

She is survived by a son, Kurt (Julie) of Waterford; and one sister, Erna Porrett of Royal Oak.

Mrs. Warning was preceded in death by her husband, Dale, on Dec. 31, 1992.

Services were held on Tuesday. May 12, at Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home in Northville, with senior Pastor Donald C. Pickren officiating. Interment was in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens.

Memorial contributions to the Michigan Cancer Foundation would be appreciated.

JAMES B. MOREAU

James Brian Moreau of Northville died May 7 in Botsford General Hospital, Farmington Hills. He was 40. Mr. Moreau was born in Detroit on Sept. 15, 1957, to Jean (McGrath) and the late William Moreau.

Mr. Moreau was a salesman with Center Ice of Novi.

He is survived by his mother, Jean Moreau of Desert Hot Springs, Calif.; one aunt, Connie Haverty of Northville; two uncles. William McGrath of Tellicoe; Tenn., and Richard McGrath of Palm Desert, Calif.; and his beloved, Kristin Senne of Novi.

A funeral mass was celebrated on Monday, May 11, at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church. The Rev. Ernest Porcari officiated. Interment was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield.

Arrangements were made by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home of Northville.

Memorials contributions to the Jimmy Moreau Memorial Fund, c/o Wolverine Human Services, 15100 Mack Ave., Grosse Pointe Park, MI 48224 would be appreciated by the family.

CAROL J. MORENZ

Carol Joyce Morenz of Northville died May 10 in Oakwood Annapolis Hospital, Wayne. She was 68. Ms. Morenz was born Jan. 23, 1930, in Detroit to George Morenz and the late Eleanor Stovel.

Ms. Morenz was a homemaker. In addition to her father, George Morenz of Northville, she is survived by one sister, Kay (William) Gravelle of Plymouth: and one niece, a great niece, and nephew.

Private services and burial were held on Tuesday, May 12, in Evergreen Cemetery, Alpena.

PATRICIA R. BUFFA

Patricia R. Buffa of Northville died May 11, in University Hospital-Ann Arbor. She was 75. Mrs. Buffa was born July 25, 1922, in

Before retiring in 1970, Mrs. Buffa was owner of Buffa's Market, a grocery store in Flint. She was an active senior at Our Lady of Victory and a resident of Northville for over 11 years.

Mrs. Buffa is survived by daughters. Nancy (Dolan) Slevert. Marcia (John) McWilliams, and Patricia Sawyer; sons, Joseph (Denise) and Ronald (Heldi); 13 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by

her husband, Joseph, in 1978. A Memorial Mass was celebrated on Wednesday, Mr / 13, at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church. Interment was in New Calvary Cemetery, Flint.

Arrangements were made by The Care Memorial Society in Clinton Township.

Memorial tributes to the Patricia Buffa Memorial Fund, c/o Nancy Slevert, 677 Dunlap West, Northville, Mt 48167 would be appreciated.

Six-car accident ties up I-96 commuters

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

A six car accident that occurred on I-96 near Beck Road in Novi left one man in critical condition and closed the freeway for more than three and a half hours during the morning rush Tuesday.

A 36-year-old Southfield entrepreneur was changing lanes on his way to work in Lansing when he collided with a car in the left lane of westbound I-96 at 7:45 a.m., Michigan State Police said.

He lost control of his 1996 Dodge pick-up. careened through the grassy median and was launched into the air over eastbound I-96. His pick-up landed in oncoming traffic Mrs. Stewart was preceded in and hit three more cars before coming to rest on the eastbound shoulder, being

Woman recalls seeing car fly over median

struck there by yet another car.

"Basically he was jumping lanes and when he jumped in front of the Contour, he had to squeeze in. He didn't judge it quite right. His left rear tire went up on the right front fender. There were black tire marks right up it," Trooper Jerry Hietala with the Michigan State Police said.

Police aren't releasing the name of the driver, who was transported to Botsford Hospital where he was listed in critical condition Tuesday with internal and head

Three other drivers were taken to Providence Hospital in Novi for outpatient

"There were no other serious injuries. A couple cuts and bruises and sore necks. It is truly amazing," Hietala said.

Julie Schaefer of New Hudson had just dropped her four-year-old son off at daycare in Novi and was on her way to work at the Dearborn Ford Motor Company complex when she was sideswiped by the pick-up and spun out.

"I saw the car come up out of the ditch. It went airborne and was coming at me. I saw it up in the air coming at me and it hit the car next to me," Schaefer said. "When I saw him coming I could see his rear end coming over his front and I didn't know if he was going to hit me. I couldn't swerve or move, I just had to keep going."

She said the pick-up landed roof-to-roof on the car next to her. That driver was able to exit his car and appeared to have only a scratch on his forehead, Schaefer

said. Eastbound I-96 was closed while emergency crews cleaned up glass, debris and

toxic liquids that spilled onto the road. Traffic was backed up on I-96 as far as the Kensington Road exit until the freeway

was reopened around 11:30 a.m. Motorists throughout Novi and South Lyon were jammed on peripheral roads, including Grand River, Beck Road and as far south as Eight Mile Road.





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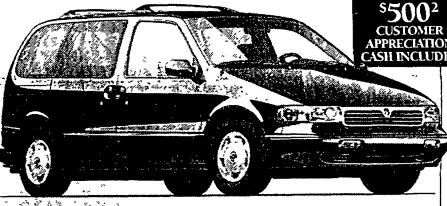
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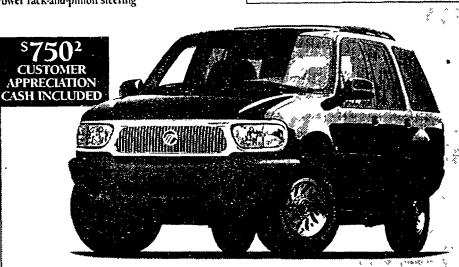
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Organ donation bills in front of legislature

Drivers renewing their licenses will be asked to include organ donation willingness under three bills moving through the Michigan Legislature.

It was about time, said Rep. Lynne Martinez, D-Lansing, noting the House passed two measures in June of 1997 and the Senate acted on in May of 1998.

Votes in both chambers were unanimous, although there was much behind-the-scenes wrangling about details.

"These bills are matters of life or death for hundreds of people," said Martinez. "About 11 people die in Michigan each month because organs are not available, and more than 2,000 ar on organ transplant waiting lists.

"Michigan ranks 45 among 50 states in the number of people who are registered organ donors."

Cost to the state: \$104,000 for

pamphlets, return postage costs and setting up a registry.

The bills would:

• Simplify the driver's license information. The licensee could sign a statement that he or she was an organ and tissue donor under the Public Health Code (Senate Bill 458). Sponsor is Sen. John Schwarz, R-Battle Creek.

 Require the Secretary of State to give an applicant for a driver's license information on making an anatomical gift and forming a central registry. House Bill 4620 is sponsored by Martinez.

 Require the same when a person applies for a state identification card. House Bill 4031 is sponsored by Rep. Lingg Brewer, D-Okemos.

All three bills go to the House, the first for passage, the other two for concurrence in Senate

The rising cost of doing business

Personnel at heart of finance department's 4-percent budget increase request

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

Contract issues are at the heart of the nearly \$18,000 increase being requested by Northville's finance department as part of the city's proposed 1998-1999 budget.

"Some of the new contracts we've established are having an effect on the requests we've made," said finance director Nickie Bateson. "Personnel and fringe benefits are really the bulk of the money we're looking at."

All told, the department has asked for a budget of \$194,070. The finance department spent \$176,300 during the 1996-1997 budget.

"It's primarily a reflection of our personnel," Bateson said.

The finance department has also traditionally been responsible for computers and technology matters for the city. Bateson said a bit of account shifting has helped ease some of the financial burden which may have otherwise needed to be absorbed by other accounts.

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"Technology has been such a big part of our city in the last couple years that we just thought it was time those sorts of issues were given their own accounts," she said.

Extensive computer upgrades were completed in November of last year, not the least of which was the reconfiguration of the city's financial software, which needed to be made compliant with the year 2000.

Computers around the world are having the be readjusted to allow the computer's internal clocks to

accurately switch from 1999 to 2000. Experts say computers which only use the last two digits of a year to fegister the date may crash, believing the year is actually 1900 at midnight, Jan. 1, 2000.

"We were able to make our purchases at a time when manufacturers were becoming aware of those issues" Bateson said.

Less money was requested in the finance department's budget for overtime pay and publications versus the old budget.

The finance department is responsible for handling public inquirles and requests of other city departments and services shared with Northville Township. On a daily basis, the finance department handles accounts payable, payroll, general ledger, cash management, account analysis and budgetary and accounting control.

A public hearing on adopting the budget and setting the millage rate has been slated for May 18.
Tentatively, the city is looking at a 13.48 mills, an increase of about

FINANCE BUDGET

TOTAL CITY BUDGET: \$4,73 million FINANCE DEPARTMENT BUDGET: \$194,070 (4.1 percent of

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BIG-TICKET ITEMS: Wages / salaries, fringe benefits.
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one-half of 1 mill over last year.
In addition to serving as finance director. Bateson also works as the assistant city manager.



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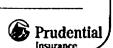
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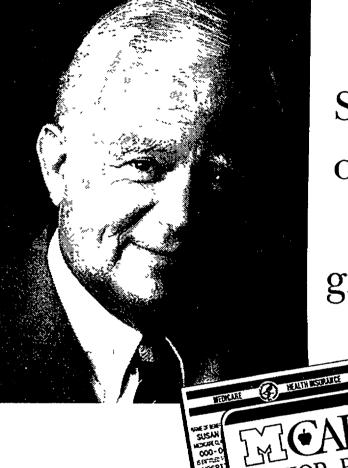
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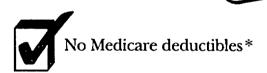
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Renovations to former Gitfiddler are peddlin' along

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Bob Buckhave answered some commonly-asked questions about the downtown church he's renovating, and here are the answers:

The stained glass windows are being converted for some other use or are being donated, so, no they aren't being discarded.

And no, the Raven isn't operating inside the building any more.

And in case you're wondering. Bob Buckhave doesn't think there are any ghosts roaming the stairwells of the old church building at the corner of Center and Dunlap

If there are any, he suspects they're the friendly variety. "They're on our side," he chuckled.

Buckhave, along with his wife Margene, have been hard at work on the renovations to the old church building at the corner of Center and Dunlap Streets since they acquired the property in July of 1997. It's an extensive operation, the first phase of which is hoped to

be completed in the next few weeks. When that's done, Margene's business — The Stampeddler Plus - will move from its present location on Mary Alexander Court and take up residency in the tentatively-named Bell Tower Plaza.

The improvements, however, won't merely be limited to the current building. Two other retail buildings are being slated for construction, which would run perpendicular to Center Street in the area now designated for parking space.

The Buckhaves made arrangements with the city to purchase 15 parking credits in lieu of the lost

structure has been installation of new roofing. Buckhave said the roof as it had been before was a menagerie of different

give something back to the types shin-gling, but gling, after stripping off the old material, it was discov-

ered the paneling for the roof was completely intact. In place of the old roofing - a

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spaces for parked automobiles. But it's the interior — the portion not visible to the casual most noticeable change to the observer, which has been the core

> activity. Buckhave "We wanted this to be somesaid. The big project? Installing would appreciate. Northville is support beams and the flooring to split the overhead space in former sanctuary into

> > **Bob Buckhave**

two levels. The lower level will be occupied by

The Stampeddler Plus. The two levels connect through a pair of stairwells, but a spiral staircase may be added in the future in the center of

A host of hidden structural elements have been found as walls were broken down, Buckhave said. "It's been a chore," he said, then

sighed, "I'm tired. I need a break." The area stanked by the Ushaped configuration of the three buildings will be converted into a courtyard plaza. which Buckhave told city council would be an ideal place for residents to meet and rest during warm-weather months. A fountain, small trees and a gar-

den will round out the area. *We wanted this to be something that the community would appreciate," he said. "We had the option to build all the way out to the street, but we didn't want to do that. Northville is home to us and we'd like to give something back to the city.

Buckhave said the decision

to acquire the church building and renovate versus starting from scratch was due to a combination of reasons: for one, the lower cost of owning a building for business versus continuing to lease; and second, the desire by the family to set up shop and live in down-

town Northville. We always knew we wanted to be in Northville, and when we saw this place. I just started to have ideas roll around about how neat

this could be." Buckhave said. The Buckhaves came to acquire the property after lengthy negotiations with former Gitfiddler owner

Renovations are hoped to be completely wrapped up in about a year. Buckhave said an open house may take place sometime over the summer months.

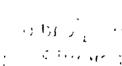
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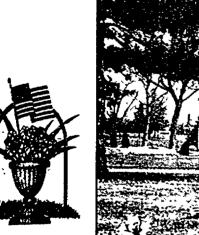


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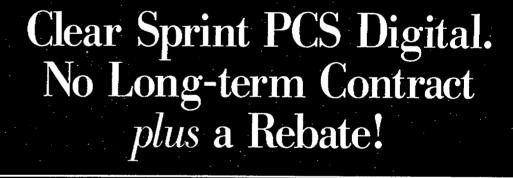


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New shops ready to open doors

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Northville Community Chamber of Commerce director Laurie Marrs has a secret file.

Inside is a waiting list of all the business people who have come to her seeking to set up shop in Northville.

Although she keeps most of the contents covert, she spilled the beans on a few who got lucky. found available space, and will be moving in soon to a downtown storefront near you.

ARTSY CRAFTS: Running Fit, located at 141 E. Main St., liquidated its jogging merchandise and

locked its doors last week to be Retail Center, located at Six Mile plays of fabrics, paints and furnishtaken over by a paint-your-ownceramics store that will offer ceramic vases, bowls and ornaments that customers can decorate themselves on-site.

"it's become a very popular type of business," Marrs said. "It's a great idea.

Owner Linda Langston aiready has her merchandise, paints and brushes and hopes to be up and running within the next few weeks.

She has done her homework like there's no tomorrow. She's been waiting to get into Northville for over a year," Marrs said.

Running Fit will reopen next to Noodle Kidoodle at the Northville and Haggerty.

SPA SHOP: The tiny storefront at 116 E. Main St. that formerly housed an alarm system office has been rented by a new business.

"Pamplemousse" is set to open A.S.A.P., Marrs said. It will have really, really upscale

bath products. You can't find these things any place else," she said. Owner Laura Williams plans to get many of the fragrant lotions, oils

and soaps straight from Europe.

DECORATOR'S DEN: Word in the secret files said that a high class interior decorator is setting up dis-

ings behind the white paper that lines the windows at 111 S. Center St. Wonder how the owner plans to redecorate the store that formerly housed Felicia's bakery and pastry shop.

"I'm really excited about this," Marrs said.

As the Cady Center project wraps up and renovations are completed at the church on Center St. that houses the Northville School of Art and Music, more space will open up

That means Marrs can get on the phone, get out her pen and get more new faces doing business in Northville.

CITY OF NOVI NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Novi City Council will be interviewing applicants on Monday, June 15, 1998 beginning at 7:30 p.m. for appointment to the Beautification Commission, Community Clubs of Novi Board of Trustees, Economic Development Corporation, Historical Commission, Parks & Recreation Commission, and Planning Commission. Applications for City Boards and Commissions are available in the office of the Charlest Commission. able in the office of the City Clerk or by calling 347-0456. Please submit your application no later than Wednesday, June 11, 1998 to allow time for scheduling appoint-

(4-30 & 5-7/14/21/28 & 6-4/11-98 NR, NN 826064)

TONNI BARTHOLOMEW. CITY CLERK

NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Northville Public Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit for the following projects.

 Interior/exterior painting of Winchester Elementary Specifications and bid forms can be obtained from the Operations Department at 501 W. Main, Northville, MI (lower level) during normal business hours. The Northville Public School Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids as they judge to be in the best interest of the School District. (5-14-98 NR/NN 828010)

WESTERN TOWNSHIPS UTILITIES AUTHORITY **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS** SPECIAL MEETING SYNOPSIS 4:00 P.M., MONDAY, MAY 4, 1998

Special meeting called order at 4:20 p.m.

Present: Thomas Yack, Karen Woodside, Kathleen A. Keen-McCarthy Agenda - adopted as amended.

Schedule of operating expenses totaling \$361,917.89 - approved.

YCUA Lookback & Rate Calculations - adopted.

Award of Phase 2 Sewer Cleaning & CCTV Inspection to K&D Industrial Services, Inc., of Romulus, MI - approved.

Request For Proposals; Lawn Maintenance and Snow Clearing Services

approval to advertise for proposals. Lower Rouge Irrigation Repairs - approved.

The special meeting was adjourned at 5:15 p m.

THOMAS J. YACK, Chairman

NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR BIDS KWIK-WALL FOLDING PARTITIONS

The City of Novi will receive sealed bids for the Kwik-Wall Folding Partitions according to the specifications of the City of Novi. Bid Packages are available at the Office of the Purchasing Director. Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M., prevailing eastern time, May 26, 1998, at

which time proposals will be opened and read. Bids shall be addressed as follows: CITY OF NOVI

CAROL J. KALINOVIK, PURCHASING DIRECTOR 45175 W. Ten Mile Rd., Novi, MI 48375-3024

All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm.

ENVELOPES MUST BE PLAINLY MARKED

"KWIK-WALL" BID AND MUST BEAR THE NAME OF THE BIDDER.

The City reserves the right to accept any or all alternative proposals and award the contract to other than the lowest bidder, to waive any irregularities or informalities or both; to reject any or all proposals; and in general to make the award of the contract in any manner deemed by the City, in its sole discretion, to be in the best inter-

> CAROL J. KALINOVIK PURCHASING DIRECTOR

(5-14-98 NR, NN 828014)

est of the City of Novi.

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CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR BIDS SALE OF USED VEHICLES

The City of Novi will sell the following vehicles by sealed bid. Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m., prevailing eastern time, May 27, 1998 at the Office of the Purchasing Director, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan 48375.

1989 Dodge Aries K Car 4 Door Blue Mileage: 49,908 1988 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Mileage: 73,536 3B3BK46D9KT940325 Black 1G1BL5164JA161536 1991 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Black 1G1BL5375MW252134 Mileage: 98.079 1988 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Mileage: 78,735 1989 Dodge Anes K Car 4 Door 1G1BL5164JR204791 Maroon 3B3BK46DOKT940326 1989 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Mileage: 71,178 Black 1G1BL5166JR204758 1992 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Mileage: 69,694 1990 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Black/White 1G1BL5378NW141191 Mileage: 89,397 1991 Chevy Caprice 4 Door 1G1B154701R133810 Mileage: 104,774 1G1B15376MW254104 14 Foot Fiberolass Pleasure Boat Beige Stripped, shell only 1991 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Mileage: 91,057 1G1BL5370MW253532 1988 Chevy Caprice 4 Door Black 1G1BL5174KR205689 Mileage: 71,006 1986 Chevy Camaro 2 Door Mileage: 120,078 1G1FP87S5GL201695 1992 Chevy Caprice Green 1G1BL5378NW141840 Mileage: 81,617

These vehicles are sold as is. Vehicles may be inspected at the D.P.W. Facility 26300 Delwal, Novi, Michigan. CASH OR CASHIER'S CHECK are the only accept CAROL J. KALINOVIK

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CITY OF NOVI ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO: 573

CITY OF NOVI ORDAINS: PART I: That Ordinance No. 97-18, known as the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Novi, is hereby amended by the amending of the Zoning Map as indicated on ZONING MAP AMENDMENT NO. 573 attached hereto and made a part of this

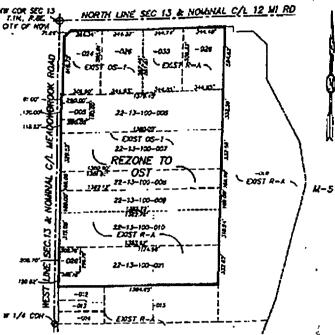
PART II: CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED Any Ordinances or parts of any Ordinance in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby

PART III: WHEN EFFECTIVE. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and is hereby ordered to take effect fifteen (15) days after final enactment. It shall be published within fifteen (15) days of adoption. The effective date of this Ordinance is

MADE AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Novi, Michigan, this 4th day of May, 1998. Copies of the Ordinance Amendment may be purchased or inspected at the office of the City Clerk, Novi, Michigan, weekdays between 8:00

a.m. and 5:00 p.m. local time.

KATHLEEN MCLALLEN, MAYOR



TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK To rezone a part of the NW 1/4 of Section 13, T.1N., R.BE., City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan being parcels 22-13-100-005 thru -010, -020, -021, -024,

-026 -028 and -030 more particularly described as follows: Parcel 22-13-100-005

Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadow-brook Road) said point being S02°26′00′W 720.04 feet from the NW corner of Sec-tion 13; thence S89°44′35°E 260.00 feet; thence S02°26′00′W 150.00 feet; thence N89°44'35"W 260.00 feet to the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadow-brook Road); thence N02°26'00"E 150 00 feet along said West line to the point of beginning. Containing 0.89 acres.

Parcel 22-13-100-006 Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadow-brook Road) said point being S02°26'00'W 659.04 feet from the NW corner of Sec-tion 13; thence S89°44'35"E 1379.40 feet; thence S02°18'37"W 332.59 feet (recorded as S02°19'48'W 332.62 feet); thence N89°36'52'W 1380.00 feet to the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadowbrook Road); thence N02°26'00"E 118.52 feet along said West line; thence S89°44'35"E 260.00 feet; thence N02°26'00"E 150.00 feet; thence N89"44"35"W 260.00 leet to the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L Meadowbrook Road); thence N02"26"00"E 61.00 feet along said West line to the point of beginning. Containing 9.58 acres. Parcel 22-13-100-007

Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadow-brook Road) said point being S02°26'00'W 988.56 feet from he NW corner of Section 13; thence S89°36'52'E 1380.00 feet; thence S02°18'42'W 332.59 feet (recorded as S02°18'48'W 332.62 feet); thence N89°29'10'W 1380.60 feet to the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadowbrook Road); thence N02°26'00"E 329.52 feet

along said West line to the point of beginning. Containing 10.48 acres. Parcel 22-13-100-008

Parcel 22-13-100-008

Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadow-brook Road) said point being S02°26'00{*W 1318.40 feet from the NW corner of Section 13; thence S89°23',12"E 1381.61 feet; thence S02°14'59*W 158.00 feet; thence N89°23'09*W 1382.12 feet to the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) with the S02°14'59*W 158.00 feet along said West line to the Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) with the S02°14'59*W 158.00 feet along said West line to the S02°14'59*W 158.00 feet along said West line to the S02°14'59*W 158.00 feet along said West line to the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Meadowbrook Road) and the West line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of

Parcel 22-13-100-009

Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13. (nominal C/L of Meadow-brook Road) said point being S02*26'00"W 1476.40 feet from the NW corner of Section 13; thence S89*23'09"E 1382.12 feet; thence S02*14'59"W 189.00 feet; thence N89*23'07"W 1382.72 feet to the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadow-brook Road); thence N02*26'00"E 189.00 feet along said West line to the point of beginning. Containing 5.99 acres

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16; thence NO2°26'00" E 518.73 feet along the Easterly R.O.W. line of Meadowbrook Road; thence N46°39'02'E 71.69 feet along said R.O.W. line; thence S89°07'56"E 251.34 feet along the Southerly R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road; thence

S02°23'13"W 565.81 feet; thence N89°41'12"W 301.90 feet to the point of begin-Parcel 22-13-100-026

Beginning at a point on the North R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road, said point being S89*59'26'E 344.47 feet along the North line of Section 13 (nominal CAL of Twelve Mile Road) and S02*23'13'W 95.18 feet from the NW corner of Section 13; thence S89*07'56'E 344.37 along the Southerty R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road; thence S02*20'28'W 562.46 feet; thence N89*41'12'W 344-93 feet; thence N02°23'13"E 565 81 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4.46 acres FROM: OS-1 OFFICE SERVICE DISTRICT

OST-OFFICE SERVICE-TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT Parcel 22-13-100-010

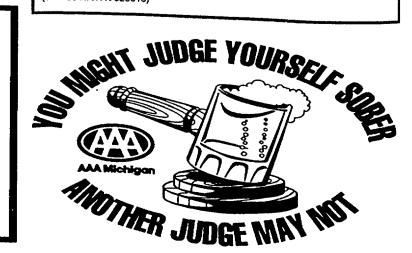
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Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadowbrook Road) said point being NO2°26'00"E 450.34 feet from the W 1/4 corner of Section 13; thence continuing along said West line NO2°26'00"E 208.70 feet; thence S02°26'00"W 208.70 feet (recorded as S01°59'34'W 208.70 feet); thence N89°19'00'W 208.70 feet (recorded as N89°11'40"W 208.70 feet) to the point of beginning. Containing 1.00 acre. Parcel 22-13-100-021

Parcel 22-13-100-021
Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Meadow-brook Road) said point being N02°26'00°E 329.52 feet from the W 1/4 corner of Section 13; thence continuing along said West line N02°26'00°E 120 82 feet; thence Secret 15, marke containing across and trees with 140°E 208.70 feet); thence N02°26'00°E 208.70 feet (recorded as S89°11'40°E 208.70 feet); thence N02°26'00°E 208.70 feet (recorded as N01°59'34°E 208.71 feet); thence S89*19'00'E 1174.98 feet (recorded as S89*19'00'E 1173.10 feet); thence S02*14'59'W 332.62 feet (recorded as S02*19'48'W 332 62 feet); thence N89°11'14"W 1384.65 feet (recorded as N89°06'02"W 1382.40 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 9.52 acres.

Parcel 22-13-100-028 Beginning at a point on the North R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road, said point being East 1033.65 feet along the North line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Twelve Mile Road) and S02°21'30'W 105.47 feet from the NW corner of Section 13; thence Mse road) and Su2 2130 W 105.47 feet from the NW corner of Section 13; thence \$89°08'40'E 344.46 feet along the Southerfy R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road; thence S02°19'48'W 554.62 feet; thence N89°44'35'W 344.85 feet; thence N02°21'30'E 558.22 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4.40 acres.

Parcel 22-13-100-030 Parcel 22-13-100-030
Beginning at a point on the North R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road, said point being East 689.10 feet along the North line of Section 13 (nominal C/L of Twelve Mile Road) and S02*23*00*W 100.33 feet from the NW corner of Section 13; thence S89*08'40"E 344.74 feet along the Southerty R.O.W. line of Twelve Mile Road; thence S02*23'00"W 558.22 feet; thence N89*44'35*W 344.85 feet; thence N89*44'35*W 344.85 feet; thence N02*23'00"E 561.81 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4.43 acres. FROM: R-A RESIDENTIAL AGRICULTURAL TO: OST OFFICE-SERVICE-TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT (5-14-98 NR/N N 828018)



CITY OF NORTHVILLE Sale of Used Furniture

and Other Miscellaneous Items First come/best offer basis on Saturday, May 16, 1998 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 West Main Street

(5-14-98 NR 828009)

CITY OF NOVI

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Woodlands Review Board, of the City of Novi, will hold a meeting on Thursday, May 21, 1998 at 6:00 p.m. at the City of Novi, Community Development Conference Room, Novi, Michigan to review the Woodlands Review Board Permit Application for Usama and Shari Saif, 41744 Sudbury Court in the Chase Farms Subdivision.

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS are invited to attend. Any written comments may be sent to the Department of Public Works, Karen Amolsch, 45175 West Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan 48375, until 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 21, 1998.

(5-14-98 NR/NN 828017)

KAREN AMOLSCH, W & S CUSTOMER SERVICE

DELPHINE GUTOWSKI,

SUE A. HILLEBRAND, CLERK

CITY OF NORTHVILLE INVITATION FOR BIDS MAY 6, 1998

Purchase of <u>Zero-Radius Mower</u> NO. 98002 SUBJECT: REFERENCE NO.

Sealed bids will be received in the City of Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167 until 2:00 p.m. local time on May 27, 1998 for the purchase of a Zero-Radius Mower as specified.

All bidders shall complete the Bid and Award page and submit all information requested in the bid documents in order for a bid to be responsive. Failure to do so may result in the bid being rejected as non-responsive. The bid document shall be returned in its entirety in a property identified and scaled or release to the Public returned in its entirety, in a property identified and sealed envelope to the Public Works Department, 215 W. Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167. This bid shall bear the inscription "Zero-Radius Mower." Bids must be received before the time of the Bid Opening. Late bids will not be considered. The City reserves the right to postpone the Bid Opening for its own convenience.

In addition, the City of Northville reserves the right to waive any irregularity or informality in bids, to reject any and/or all bids, in whole or in part, or to award any contract to other than the low bidder, should it be deemed in its best interest to do

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

JAMES P. GALLOGLY, PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR

(5-14-98 NR 828046)

Date: May 21, 1998 Time: 7:30 41600 W. Six Mile Rd.

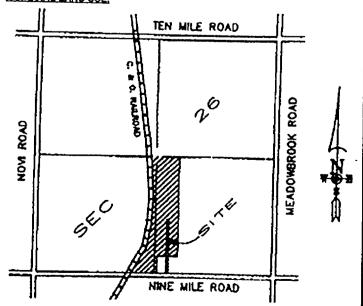
There will be an informational Public Hearing on the Five Mile and Haggerty Special Assessment District. This request is from the County to construct a sidewalk along 5 Mile Road between I-275 and Haggerty. The cost of which is to be divided among property owners along this stretch of Five Mile Road. Plans and costs of the proposed SAD will be on file in the Clerk's Office before

the meeting, and are available for public inspection. The public is invited to attend this hearing and express their comments and

(5-7-98 NR 827398) CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE CHARA-THE æ

CITY OF NOVI NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission for the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, May 20, 1998 at 7:30 p m in the Novi Crvic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI to consider FIDELITY COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION, SP 97-33E, located north of Nine Mile Road and east of Months Price Cooking RIPE WINNEY AND STATE OF THE ALL PROPERTY. rive, seeking PRELIMINARY AND FINAL SITE PLAN APPROVAL AND A SPECIAL LAND USE.



LOCATION MAP

(5-14-98 NR/NN 82804R)

All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments will be heard at the hearing and any written comments may be sent to the Planning & Community Development Department, 45175 West Ten Mile Road, Nov., MI 48375 until 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, 1998.

NOVI PLANNING COMMISSION KIM THOMAS CAPELLO, SECRETARY, TONNI L BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK

Christian gifts focus of Northville Marketplace



Rita Acho displays one of the gift baskets available at Northville Marketplace, a store that specializes in selling Christian-oriented books and inspirational items. The store is nestled in the back of Chocolates By Renee.

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It's never easy to find that perfect gift, but a new store in downtown Northville aims to offer a selection of items that are truly inspirational.

From Bibles to beaded rosaries and from christening gowns to religious videos, Northville Marketplace caters to a Christian clientele.

We have been trying to serve the entire community of Northville, which is really all primarily Christian faiths," owner Rita Acho said. We just felt there was a need for something like this. There isn't anything in this vicinity like this. We've

had a very good response." Tucked away inside Chocolate's By Renee, located at 124 N. Center St., the shelves of Northville Marketplace are quickly filling up with merchandise, like children's bible stories, inspirational wall hangings, crucifixes and figurines.

An overflowing basket of woven bracelets inscribed with the letters WWJD, for "What Would Jesus Do,

bracelets sell for \$1.50 and Acho has already had to refill the basket

Other offerings include stationary. medals of saints and stained glass craft kits for kids.

Acho said she has faith that spring will bring in new customers who are seeking out Holy Communion and graduation gifts or favors for Bible camps.

*We're always asking our customers what they'd like to see here. When people don't see what they want we try to make a note so we can stock it for them," Acho said. We're looking forward to having the store completely full by the end of summer.

Acho, a 55-year-old former medical technician and homemaker, opened the business more than a month ago. It just seemed to fall into place when space became vacant in the building that she and her husband, Ronald, own.

Their daughter Stephanie, leases

Chocolates By Renee, but the candy store takes up only a fraction of the

space. Since the location has traditionally housed three businesses, Acho

began ordering merchandise. "At one time it housed a Christmas shop and florist and a women's apparel store all in one, so we kind of tried to keep three concepts," Acho said. Now, the spiritual gifts are sold in the rear portion of the store.

In the center, Acho sells unique children's clothing like police and fire uniforms with realistic accessories. or embroidered dresses with bon-

"It's kind of exciting because it falls in line with Stephanie's chocolates. It doesn't compete with her but people who come in looking for a gift of chocolate are eager to browse," Acho said.

And for Acho, customers have turned out to be the most divine aspect of operating a small busi-







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Law kicks off campaign for final term in House

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

A face which has walked the halls of the State Capitol for more than a decade will be making an attempt at a seventh and final term in office.

Rep. Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, last month announced his bid for reelection.

If he's elected, Law's face would be the most familiar one in Lansing, as term limits would effectively eliminate any other legislator from achieving more seniority status.

*Probably the greatest thing I have going in my campaign is my experience." Law said. "When I came into office, I knew this was the one political seat I wanted to hold. I won't be seeking another office after this."

Law, who serves on the House Health Policy and Insurance committees, said he's made consumer education and protection two of his top priorities since coming to office. both of which he said were important in the face of changing times for health care.

Law said he felt particularly good about the push he made to make certain kinds of insurance more affordable for residents.

With auto and home insurance,

we're trying to foster competition," Law said. "That's really the only way we're going to lower the rates effectively.

Beside counting on the rules of economics to drive rates down, Law said he also encouraged his constituents to check prices on rates annually to see how their policy stacks up against others.

Health maintenance organizations and managed care medical treatment were also highlights of Law's tenure to date. He said the Patient's Bill of Rights, which took effect only a few months ago, gives patients more options in getting all the facts regarding the treatments which may be available to them.

Under the Bill of Rights, patients who have questions about covered treatments can expect to hear back from their health care provider within a matter of days, and sometimes less, depending on how critical the situation is. An appeal to the state can be made if the response doesn't meet with what the patient had in mind.

'We're not trying to say you're going to get coverage you didn't pay for," Law said. "We're just trying to make certain that people who need medical attention have as much access to as many facts as they can. We think the Bill (of Rights) we've written is as good as any you'd find in the country."

Where local matters are concerned, Law said he'd like to introduce legislation which would convert the 3-mill increase created under Proposal A from a countrywide matter to an issue left up to the local communities.

"As it is now, you could have taxpayers in Northville vote against using the 3 mills a certain way but still be forced to pay out the money for the outlined purposes," Law said. "I don't think that's a very good system to be using."

Law also said he was hoping to engage in conversation with legislators from Detroit districts to garner support for selling off vacant Wayne County property to communities like Plymouth Township and Northville Township.

"It's sat there idle for years -Detroit's never going to use it," Law said. "I think that is land municipalities I represent could put to better use, and Detroit could get some money from the arrangement, too."

Law said he supported Gov. John Engler's push to reduce the state's income tax level from 4.4 to 3.9 percent, as well as the \$500 million "Clean Michigan" initiative.

The race for the 20th House seat, as well as other elections and ballot proposals, will appear on the state's primary election. slated for Aug. 4.

General elections will follow

THE LAW FILE

AGE: 53 (Born May 20, 1944) POLITICAL AFFILIATION: Republican SEEKING: Re-election to 20th House Dis-

EDUCATION: M.B.A. in finance from University of Detroit.

OCCUPATION: State representative since 1986; former Ford Motor Company financial analyst

EXPERIENCE: Current state representative for 20th House District; served as Plymouth Township trustee for four years.

PERSONAL: Married to Chris; two daugh-

ters — Jennifer and Katie. Plymouth resident

IN HIS OWN WORDS: "In my case, the decision to run for a final term was not a difficult one. I genuinely enjoy the work, and consider it an honor to serve the people of the 20th District."

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LIBRARY HOURS:

The Northville District Library is open seven days a week as follows: Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 to 5 p.m. Located at 212 W. Cady St., one block south of Main and one block west of Center Street. For more information about services, please call 349-3020. The library will be closed on Memorial Day, Monday, May 25. Summer hours, with the library closed on Sundays, begin Memorial Day week-

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BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS:

The evening discussion group meets the second Monday, with the next program on June 8 featuring the novel "Possession" by A.S. Byatt. The daytime "Brown Bag book discussion group will meet on Tuesday, May 26, at 11:30 a.m. to discuss the novel "The Rapture of Canaan" by Sheri Reynolds. Anyone is welcome to attend these discussion groups.

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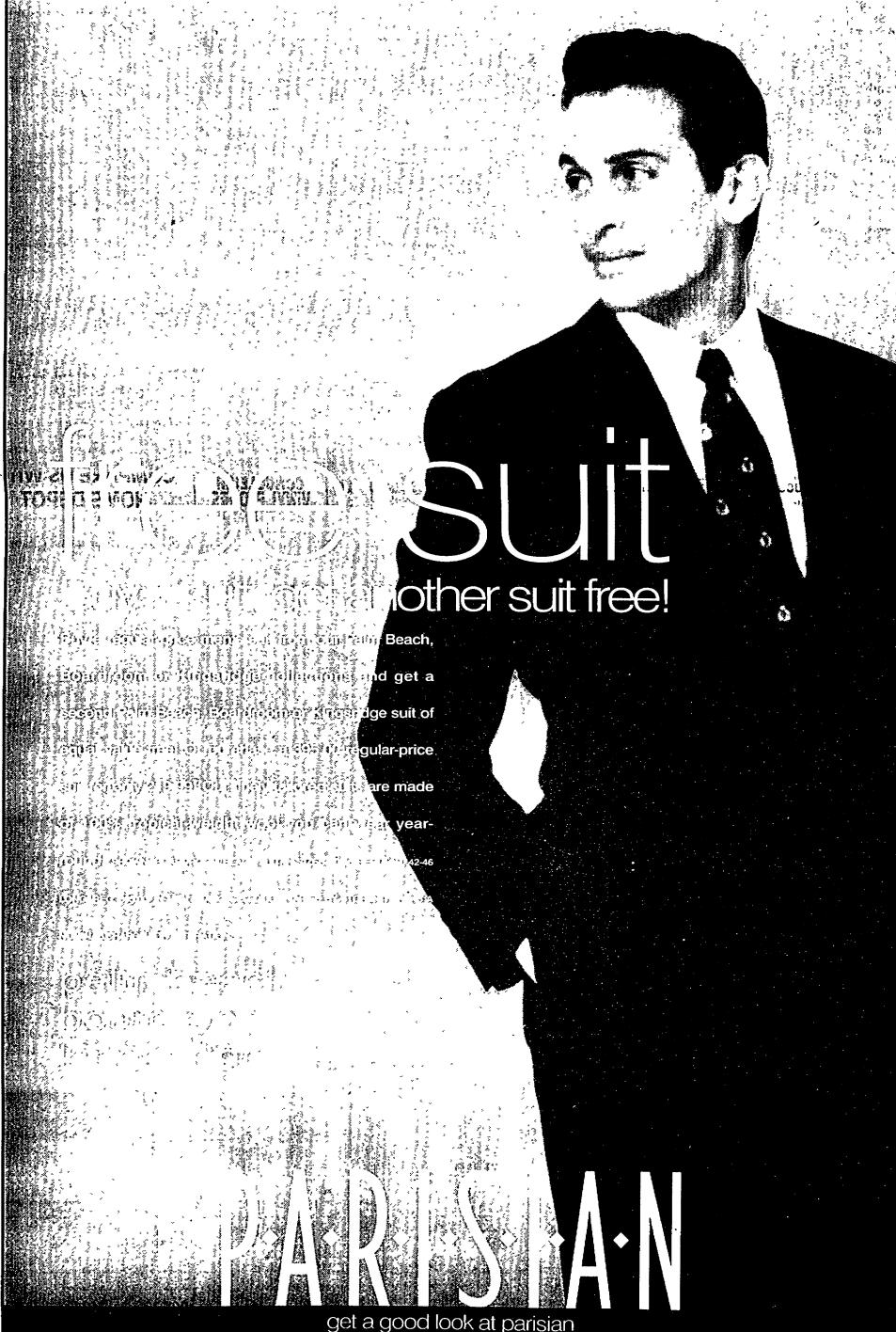
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Northville High School parents Sandi Mueller (bottom), Marge Keranen, and Carmen Tharp all work together Monday evening on a piece of scenery for the students' allnight senior party to be held the night of graduation.



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All night senior bash nears

Parents seek volunteers, prizes for senior's last blast

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

A group of dedicated parents have not only given their kids permission to party until the sun rises, they've been working four nights a week to make sure the party is a blast.

Now, they're asking the community to donate time and prizes to make the 1998 Senior All Night Party even better.

The tradition started years ago. It was intended to be a safe haven for kids the night of graduation so parents don't have to worry about them. It gives them a chance to celebrate together because it's kind of their last night to as a class. It caps off the year," said Cheryl Spinazze, publicity chair for the party.

Spinazze confirmed that the ever-popular casino will be the

"Traditionally the theme's a secret."

Cheryl Spinazze

main attraction at the party again this year, but will say little else about the props and decorations the parents have been creating.

Traditionally the theme's a secret and it's not revealed to the seniors until the morning of June 4 at the senior breakfast, Spinazze said.

Parents will announce the theme by performing a skit. Then they'll pass out formal invitations and T-shirts for students to wear that night.

Students will have the chance to win a variety of donated prizes ranging from gift certificates from

local businesses to dorm-style mini-refrigerators and VCR's.

The community has been wonderful about donating prizes and money to buy additional prizes. We're getting down to the nitty gritty and we're hoping to get a few more donations." Spinazze

The party is set for June 5 at Northville High, after commencement ceremonles from 10:30 p.m. to 4 a.m.

Parents will work in shifts to supervise the activities.

To volunteer time or donate prizes, call Mary Jane Ossala. 344-4762 or Barb Yageman. 420-2017.

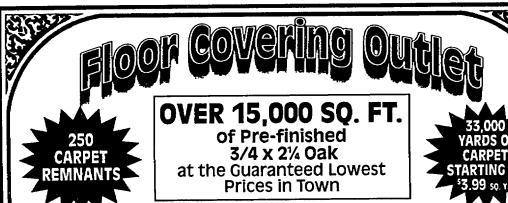
"It promises to be a really fun evening," Spinazze said. "And parents can't get in unless they're



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Dems, GOP jockey for attention in barrage of tax-cutting

By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

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Mirror, mirror on the wall,
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"Me," said the Democrat.
"Me," said the Republican.

"Me," said the senator.
"Me," said the representative.
"Without question, me," said

That's what the press releases look like as the Michigan Legislature winds down for the summer primary election break. Budget bills are making their way through both chambers, but the public posturing has to do with who can claim credit for the most generous tax cuts.

Gov. John Engler started in 1990 with his "taxpayer's agenda," and in this year's state of the state message, he proposed scaling down personal income tax rates to 3.9 percent.

He claims credit for two dozen different tax base and tax rate cuts, though neither party mentions the sales tax increase that was part of Proposal A of 1994 or the 1997 fuel tax increase for roads.

House Speaker Curtis Hertel, D-Detroit, says Engler and Senate Republicans are "scrambling to come up with a tax cut to sell voters this election year." But his House Democrats already have passed three bills that are "stalled in the Republican-controlled Senate."

Hertel says Engler's tax cut proposals are "aimed at the wealthy" while Democrats' are aimed at "working families and senior citizens." His party's proposals:

• An income tax credit for dependent care – equal to 50 percent of the expenses for support of a dependent. The credits would amount to \$1,200 for one elderly dependent and \$2,400 for two.

 Earned income tax credit – equal to 10 percent of the federal EITC for "working families" earning up to \$28,000 a year.

• Senior citizen property tax deferment - would allow seniors to defer property tax payments when local government threatens legal action that would result in the loss of a home. The complex package is sponsored by House Tax Policy Chair Kirk Profit, D-Ypsilanti.

Profit issued his own release, saying 28 fellow House Democrats support certain principles for income tax relief.

Among the principles: Prohib-

it "raids on statutorily earmarked income tax revenues for local government revenue sharing and the school aid fund by proposing constitutional amendments for the 1998 ballot that would constitutionally guarantee the state's essential operations and the more recent promise of Proposal A that funding for K-12 operations would be assured."

Profit's group would cut the income tax rate to 3.9 percent by 2000.

Republicans said five senators and five representatives have introduced Engler's proposed tax cuts. Among the sponsors are Sens. Bill Bullard Jr. of Milford and Loren Bennett of Canton and Rep. Nancy Cassis of Novi.

They would reduce the personal income tax from the current 4.4 percent by paring it beginning in the year 2000 to 3.9 percent over five years. This is broad-based tax relief for Michigan's hard-working men and women," said Rep. Chuck Perricone, R-Kalamazoo, a second-term lawmaker aiming for a leadership role next year.

The House bills would go to Profit's committee, where their chances of being reported out are nil or less.

Sen. Bennett said his bill not only would cut tax rates but protect school aid funding, too. The school aid fundwill be supported at the same funding level, even as the tax rate is lowered," said Bennett.

Sen. Joanne Emmons, R-Big Rapids, who heads the Senate Finance Committee, gave no indication she's interested in working on the Democrats' bills

Bennett said the tax cut bills are expected to be taken up by the full Senate the week of May

Baby beating pre-trial exam begins

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

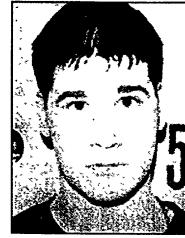
Steven McBurney sat attentively in the first day of his pretrial examination relating to charges that he severely beat his 4-month old son in late February.

McBurney, 22, along with his attorney, Robert White, listened to Detroit pediatrician John Roarty describe his examination of the baby's head; primarily, damage done to his eyes.

Roarty said told prosecutor

Roarty said told prosecutor Laura Weingarden he observed the boy in the hospital's intensive care unit March 2, at which time he saw that the child was suffering from multiple layers of retinal bleeding.

Based on his experience, Roarty said that sort of injury was typical from either a blunt blow or repeated shaking.



Steven McBurney

As Roarty explained the to court, an infant's eyeball is much like a water balloon, where shaking the

balloon will cause the liquid inside to flow at different rates of speed. Within an eyeball, Roarty said that sort of motion could grate against the optic nerve and generate bleeding.

Roarty also said laboratory tests eliminated the possibility of a physiological bleeding disorder or some kind of spontaneous hemorrhaging.

Because of the layering observed in the baby's eye, Roarty said he strongly suspected the infant was suffering from shaken baby syndrome.

On cross-examination, Roarty acknowledged that he couldn't say for certain whether the injury was caused from one incident or multiple occurrences.

He said he noted the existence of a pair of fractures in the skull of the baby, approximately 2.5 inch-

es long, which he said could have also been caused by dropping the baby on his head.

Though he said he didn't have neurological surgical background. Roarty said based on what he had read in journals, such injuries would need to occur from a fall of not less than 6 feet in the air.

Roarty said he believed the baby might be termed legally blind within one eye at some point in the future, though he also said some degree of vision in that eye would remain.

The baby was discovered by township medical authorities who responded to an emergency telephone call.

McBurney and the baby's mother are not married.

At last report, the child was in temporary foster care with a relative **Maybury Matters**

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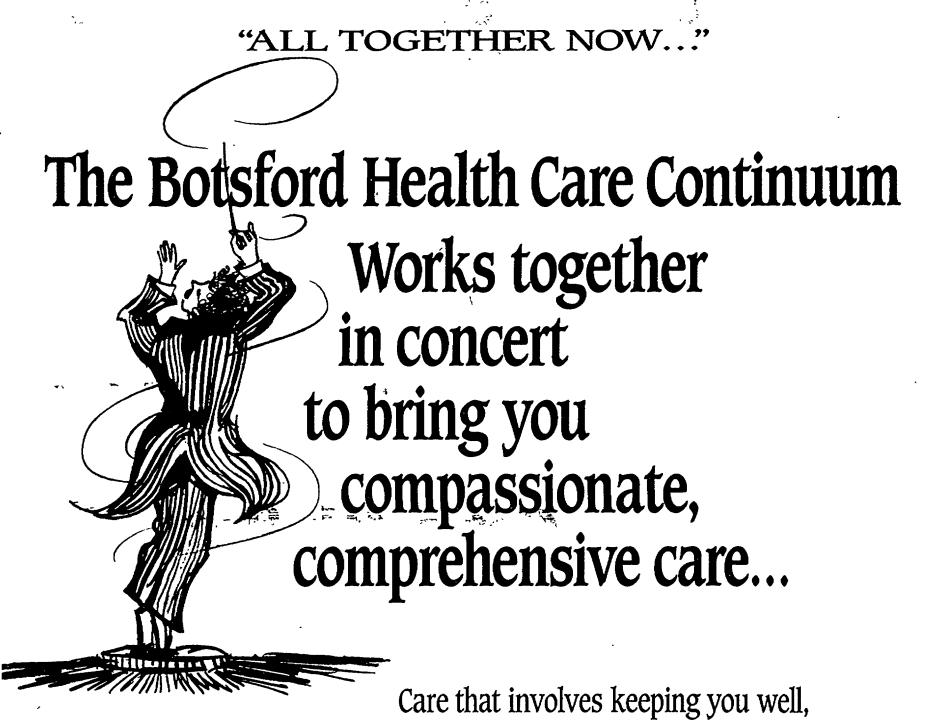
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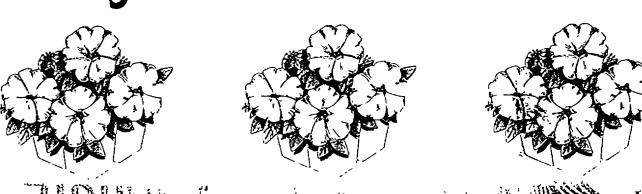
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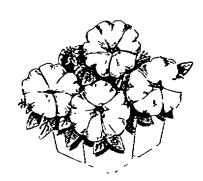
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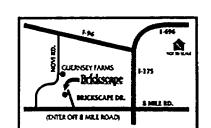
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Hockey players will waltz into ice arena in July

Already, 1,000 kids are lined up to play youth hockey in Novi.

And while they haven't registered yet, no doubt there are an equal number of Tara Upinski and Jerod Swallow wanna-bes out there.

The figure skating program will be very active, very quickly," said Novi Ice Arena manager Tammy Hombirg, who is also a figure skat-

The whole facility is indicative of what you want a competitive skater

But what about the moms and dads, the ones that cart the kids to their games and lessons? While they're stuck waiting for their progeny, the wait will be a pleasant and comfortable one, said Terry Seyler, one of the architects of the soon-to-open arena. And no one need go hungry. There is no place in the city that

is going to be as nice for the parents as this," Seyler said.

It's just like going to the country club, only it's not as fancy."

For those eager to check it out, it'll be a post-holiday on ice. Just as residents are recovering from the July 4 weekend, they can lace on skates and try out the ice when the arena opens for business - including figure skating classes and hockey camp - on July 6. That's a month earlier than originally anticipated.

Located not far from the northeast corner of Ten Mile and Novi roads, the \$8.5 million arena is built into the land. Visitors step in at the level of the top, club floor, while the two National Hockey League-size, 17,000 square foot ice rinks and locker-rooms are below.

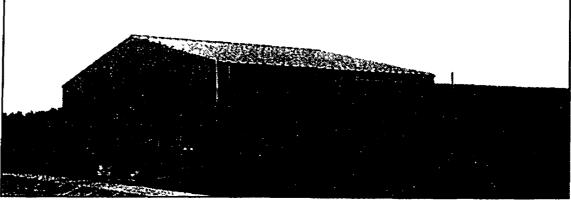
The great room area will be in shades of burgundy and green. A castle-shaped video room will be available to entertain kids while their siblings are on the ice. Two large screen TVs have been

*So dad can watch the Michigan game and the mother can watch her soap operas," Seyler said. There's no other facility in the state that has gone to this level."

A hockey dad and coach, he is also chief executive of Center Ice Inc., the firm that will manage the business for Community Clubs of Novi, a non-profit group set up by the city oversee the arena's operations. The building is actually owned by the Novi Building Authority. which was set up by the Novi City

When I designed it, I wanted to make sure it worked well, because have to be here," Seyler said.

He hopes to find a local business that will donate a fireplace to the arena, to make that living room environment even cozier.



Hard-hatted figures near the center of this photo show the large scale of the exterior of the Novi Ice Arena.

"A family is going to be here three times a week. These families are going to become very, very close. We need to create an atmosphere where the families can get together and talk," he explained.

An upstairs eatery will include fare fancier than typical at most ice arenas, including bar-style hamburgers, croissant sandwiches, pizza made on-site, home-made cinnamon

rolls and cappuccino. A smaller concessions stand downstairs by the rink will enable skaters to dash off the ice for a snack.

Conference rooms and meeting rooms are also upstairs, where teams and skaters can watch videos with their coaches.

All that equipment will be available for sale at The Skater's Attic, but the shop will also sell used

goods on consignment.

"Everybody in hockey has a whole attic of stuff at home. You take it out to some places to sell it and you get one-quarter of what it's worth," Seyler said.

But downstairs is where the real action is. For the new Novi Ice Cats, the local youth hockey association, it's home turf.

Unlike the practice of 20 years

not concrete. It's cheaper and more environmentally efficient. Hombirg said. But there's another benefit.

"It makes a neat sound when they skate on it," she added.

Before coming here in March, Hombirg managed the Westland Sports Arena for over 13 years. She plans on bringing the skaters she coaches to the Novi facility.

Tve been a skater all my life. I was a figure skater, my brother played hockey. My parents did both," said Hombirg, who grew up in Grand Rapids.

The blue arena seats 600, while the red arena seats 220. Each has infrared seating and was designed to give everybody a good view of the action on the ice. The folks at city hall wanted wood, not aluminum

bleachers, and that's what they got. With aluminum, the little kids stomp their feet and it reverberates through the whole place," Seyler explained.

Eight locker rooms, four per rink, are set up for hockey games. Novi High School will have its own team locker room. Northville High School will play at Novi, but won't have its own locker room.

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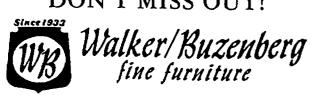
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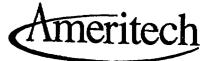
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Area schools tops in science competition

More than 450 high school, middle school and elementary teams competed at the 15th Science Olympiad Regional competitions during February and March.

Teams from Northville High School, Meads Mill Middle School and Our Lady of Victory were among 80 that advanced to the State Finals on May 2 at Michigan State University.

Thirty event competitions were held in various locations on the MSU campus including bottle rockets and Bungie eggs silently falling from pre-determined heights to splat or not to splat. Team shirts, coaches, medals and trophies were all part of the discovery hoopla.

Our Lady of Victory placed 17th out of 40 teams during its fifth year of state level competition. Meads Mill Middle School placed 34th out of 40 at its third consecutive year at the event and Northville High School placed 21st out of 28 teams during its fourth consecutive year of competition.

Although none will go onto the national tournament, all of the young people, their coaches and teachers represent a strong dedication to science education and have worked hard all year to meet the

competition of their peers and win. In 1997, Our Lady of Victory won first place against all Division D middle/junior high schools.

Exchange student seeks home

The Northville Rotary Youth Exchange program is looking for one family who would be interested in hosting a 16-year-old Mexican high school student from April 1, 1999 to July 15,

The student, David Sanchez. plays tennis, soccer, golf and enjoys traveling. He is known for his friendliness, open-mindedness, compatibility and self-confidence. He is proficient in English, having studied the language for eight years.

Host families are asked to provide meals and lodging, along with love and understanding. Personal expenses such as clothing or entertainment are the responsibility of the student.

Rotary would like to have our third host family decided by May 15. For more information, contact Dick Milder at (248) 478-7330 or (248) 348-3590.



Hail to the victors go the spoils

The Meads Mill Middle School Forensics Team was recognized for it efforts in a regional competition at the University of Michigan. The team brought back two firstplace trophies, two plaques, and ten blue ribbons. They

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are Jenni Karoub, Rebecca Frimenko, Michelle Alder, Becky Tracz, Alexis Kheir, Karren O'Connor, Suzie Boll, and Allison Jenney. The group is coached by Shirley Kłokkenga.





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Toddlers wander from daycare center into street

Church taking steps to prevent reoccurance of May 6 incident

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Two toddlers wandered away from the Northville First Daycare Center at the Northville First United Methodist Church last Wednesday and were found crossing a well-traveled street behind the preschool.

Charlotte Partin didn't think twice when she first noticed the children playing in a front yard off Lexington Boulevard on May 6.

But when they crossed the street, Partin realized something was

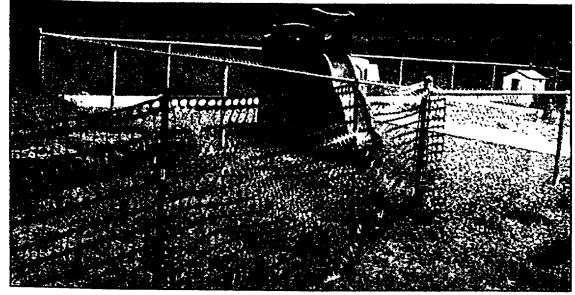
I thought There are two babies out here strolling around and nobody's out here with them, surely to God somebody's watching these bables'," Partin said. "About that time. I heard a truck squeal. I took off flying and grabbed them. The

truck almost got them.

The driver of a pick-up truck stopped just in time to avoid hitting one of the boys and yelled at Partin

to keep an eye on her kids, she said. But to Partin, of Romulus, the boys were strangers. She had just finished cleaning a home and was out front taking a break before cleaning another right down the street when she spotted the children, both less 22 months old, wandering out from behind a home.

They were just two beautiful blond little boys picking up rocks and police said Partin called them at



Two children at the Northville United Methodist daycare facility on Eight Mile Road wandered off the playground last week. Temporary fencing has been installed (at left) to prevent a

and investigating everything." Partin said. They were in the front yard, then on the sidewalk, then I looked and they were across the street. There's no doubt in my mind those bables would have gotten killed. It

reoccurrence.

was just unbelievable. During an outdoor recess, the boys had apparently left a gated play area at the daycare center on Eight Mile Road and wandered up a path that cut through trees and brush and over a steep hill, ending in the backyard of a home on Lex-

ington Boulevard. The recess had started at 10:30. 11:04 a.m.

*Nobody knows how long they were gone." Partin said.

When police contacted the daycare center, school officials said they weren't missing any children.

But according to Reverend Tom Beagan, teachers on the playground were aware that the boys were gone and were actively searching when the call came into the office.

The boys were too young to tell police their names and only after an officer visited the daycare center and demanded a head count did officials realize who the boys were.

They were returned to the

preschool without a scratch and their parents were contacted imme-

diately by police. The teacher in charge of the children told police she never saw the boys take off because she was busy talking with parents.

Two other teachers who were on the playground at the time were involved in activities with the other children, Beagan said.

We're just real thankful that the children are safe," Beagan said.

Police have since turned investigation of the matter over to the daycare licensing division of the Michigan Department of Consumer and Industry Services.

We're going to look at supervision. We want to examine whether or not they had appropriate supervision of the children, and an appropriate child to staff ratio." Ted deWolf, director of the licensing divi-

A consultant from the department visited Northville First Care before granting it an operating license in April 1997, deWolf said. The traffic on Eight Mile Road was deemed a more serious concern than the hill at that time, he said.

*Everyone was surprised that these two little kids could scurry up that," deWolf said. "In retrospect, no one anticipated that children would go up there.

Since the incident, a temporary fence has been put up in front of the hill and the center is taking bids to install permanent fencing, deWolf

"This is serious. We do believe they had a responsibility," deWolf said. "We believe they've acted very responsibly. They're very upset that it happened, upset with themselves and they took immediate action to ensure it won't happen again."

DeWolf said the center will not be shut down, but he would "strongly recommend it be put on probation and closely observed for six months.

Beagan said parents of one of the wandering toddlers returned their son for classes the next day, while parents of the other are waiting for the results of the investigation.

This church has a long standing reputation in the community for being concerned about children and we constantly put children first in our ministry," Beagan said.

Preschool blends religion, learning, fun

After a year in business, the crimvile First Care preschool is led to near capacity.

We've had a very, very good ar and have had a very positive year in terms that the center illed up quickly. That indicated he need for quality Christian care was out there," Rev. om Beagan sald.

The preschool, affiliated with he Northville First United Methodist Church at 777 W. Bight Mile Road, offers full and half-day care for children as owing as six weeks of age.

The center offers children a hance to learn Christian songs. read spiritual stories and cele-brate Christian holidays, but gan said the program blends religious and the secular one common denominator. It's all learning oriented. schoolers, there are activities, and daily routines that are jeant to stimulate children. Bea-an said. Ministry outreach to ldren is the church's primary nce the school was licensed ast April to care for up to 76 children, it has attracted families on the church and the greater For more information, call the noof at (248) 349-8875.

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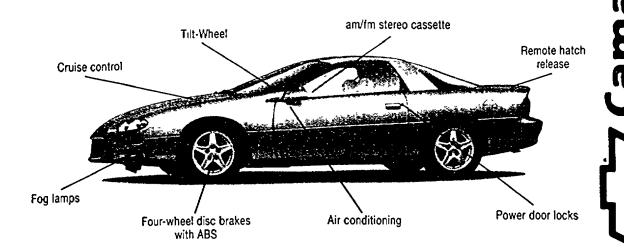
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District releases MEAP results

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be made by a committee headed by Assistant Superintendent of Instruction Dr. Linda Farr.

Although Farr wasn't available for comment, Rezmierski said curriculum changes must not be based too closely on the MEAP

What I want to make sure we don't do, and it's a huge temptation, is to teach to the test," Rezmierski said. "I want to be sure that we are not overemphasizing that and it's a real danger.

He said the media attention given to the test has obscured its true purpose, which is to let the State Department of Education, local districts, parents and students evaluate how well districts are teaching to statewide standards.

Rank ordering schools by their MEAP scores has become common in newspapers, Rezmierski said, which has politicized the test.

"This has now moved into the realm of the NHL top 10 ranking," Rezmierski said. "That doesn't make any sense. This has become a

NORTHVILLE SCHOOLS MEAP SCORES

	1997-98	1996-97	
4th grade math	93.3	90.6	+2.7
4th grade reading	72.9	75.0	-2.1
7th grade math	84.1	86.5	-2.4
7th grade reading	72.7	67.0	+5.7

Statistics provided by Northville Public Schools

very big political issue and an economic issue. It sells homes. Let's be brutally honest. Is that what the MEAP was designed to be about? Never."

But confusion over the test still lingers. Rezmierski said some educators complain that the scoring and standards change every year. This is especially true at the 11th grade level, which led to a boycott of the test at Northville High School last month.

Two-thirds of the junior class opted out of the 11th grade MEAP. complaining that they didn't want potentially low scores on their permanent academic record.

"I can see their point of view, but I'm disappointed that they didn't take the test. We see the value of this test as being a fifth signpost of how well your child did in our district. One direct benefit is to have that information available so mom and dad and student can request that and help interpret that," Rezmierski said.

'If you don't test, you don't know if the \$11.5 billion the state is paying on education, you don't know the result of the investment," said Mike Garber of the Michigan Department of Education.

Township to fill key vacancies

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Hennigsen said the issue would likely be resurrected at this evening's township board meeting. He said personal commitments had made for a bit of a delay in getting the survey put together.

Despite the many holes in staffing. Woodside said the township was still managing to get along.

"We know it's not the ideal situation, but we are moving ahead," she said. "We're working with a skeleton crew right now. Aside from a few hiccups, we seem to be doing pretty well."

Township manager Dawn Flynn was fired last summer after a stint that lasted less than a year. Flynn was the fourth manager fired in three years.

Amid the revolving door of managers, clerk Sue Hillebrand said a manager of some form was in dire

"After being here for six years, it's my opinion we needed a manager in here yesterday." she said. Our hands are tied by the charter rules, though.

guidelines as to what role a manager may be in place. Per the rules, managers may be given responsibility to do the community's business, but may not go forward with a great number of initiatives without the consent of the

elected board. Hillebrand believed the majority of past managers failed to work out because they became excessively hands-on in their approach to managing the township. In her estimation, a full-time manager would be most successful in Northville Township after 10 to 15 more years' time. Such managers often nest annual salaries in excess of \$60,000 to \$70,000.

*Once we stop this tremendous growth period we're in and settle into more of a maintenance form of government, then I'd say we could start looking at someone who's the super-professional type," she said.

In the interim, Hillebrand said the township needed a scaledback version of a manager.

"We need someone who's organized, acts professional, flexible, Those rules give very strict self-sufficient and who communicates well," she said. "What we don't need is someone who's highpriced and has a huge background in township management. That's just more than what we need at this point."

Such a manager would most likely not need to work on a fulltime basis, she said. Instead, his or her primary responsibilities would be to coordinate the agenda for board meetings, attend board meetings and provide direction to parties seeking guidance through the maze of township business.

Hillebrand also said she could envision the need for the township clerk and supervisor to become fulltime positions by 2000 with the treasurer position following suit by 2004.

On key issues, it's not up to a hired manager to make decisions." Hillebrand said. Those are matters we need to leave up to our elected's to solve."

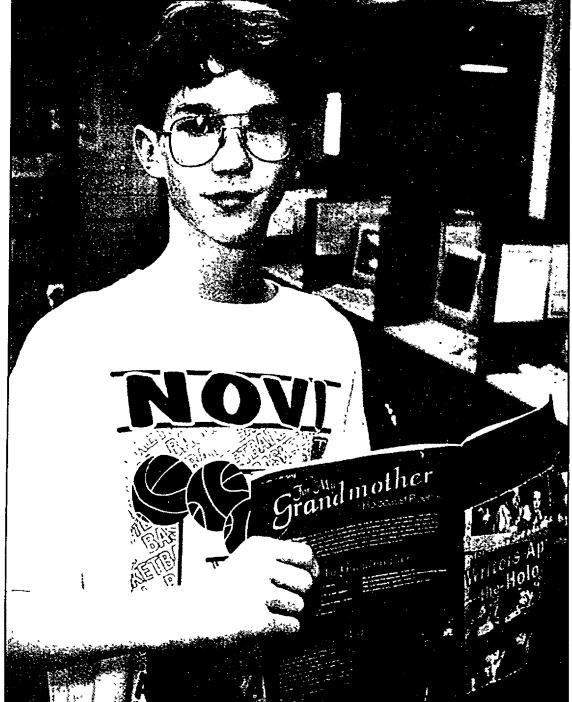


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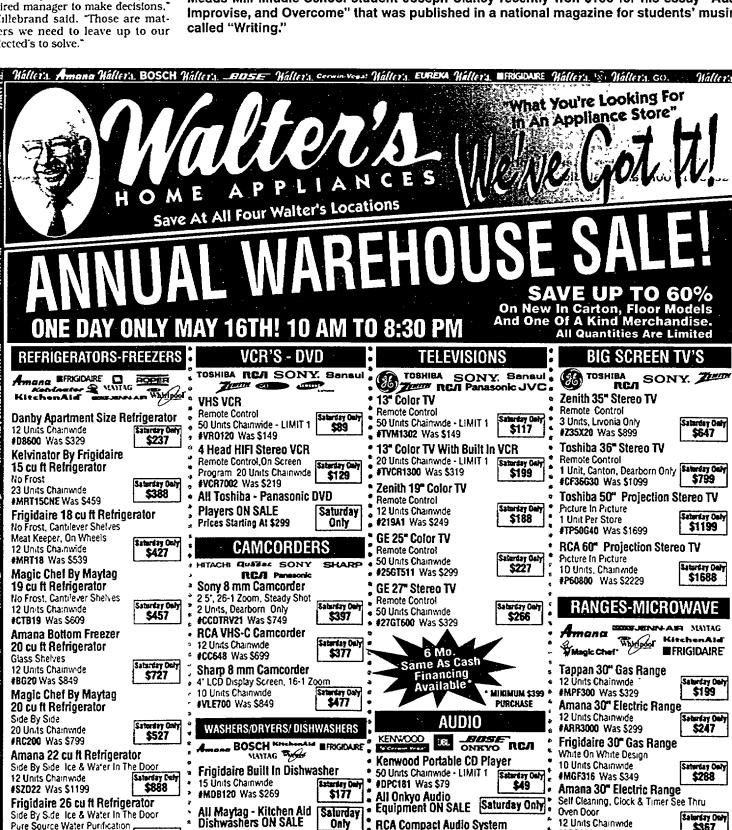
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Northville hosts first art walk

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"I would like to see the artistic community grow in Northville. We would like more talented and skilled artists to be around here. It's an inspiring area to live in. Northville is such an anacronysm of a city. Everything is so old but people are so modern here. Von Buskirk said. I think contrast inspires me, in figures, in things and in life."

In order to showcase the creativitv in Northville, the Northville Central Business Association and Northville Arts Commission hatched the plan to co-sponsor a walking tour just two months ago. The event soon snowballed to include galleries, restaurants and cases that are seaturing such diverse artists as authors, sculptors and musicians.

Businesses chipped in to print up directories for downtown visitors, which will guide them

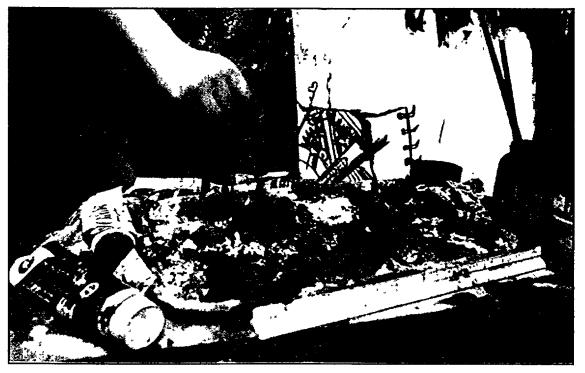
through the walking art tour.

"We wanted to work on a spirit of organization with the city volunteer groups and the merchants," Arts Commission Director Sue Taylor said. The spirit of cooperation has been wonderful."

Theresa Schlerloh, owner of Dancing Eye Gallery, will feature Milford clothing artist Jennifer Sly-Kirk at her shop during the art walk.

She said she hopes the upcoming event will be just one of many that will make it easy for residents and visitors alike to "Discover Art in Northville."

"Discover Art in Northville" will run from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, May 17. For more information call Art Source at (248) 348-1213. For more information about the Northville Arts Commission or to volunteer, call Sue Taylor at (248)



Utilizing a television stand on coasters as his roving art stand, Jeff Von Buskirk mixes paints on his palette before adding them to an oil painting. Below, Von Buskirk strolls past a couple of large oil painting portraits of a recent romantic interest that he's been working on recently. Von Buskirk works in a studio space that is above his parents' Northville home.



Northville artist Jeff Von Buskirk works on a portrait oil in

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Seniors go out in style

Prom couples enjoy a night out on the town

"This is really weird,

finally our senior prom."

t was a night to remember.

Full of celebration. Northville High School's 1998 Senior prom was a stylish success.

We spent so many hours planning and now it's here and I hope it's nice. I hope everyone enjoys themselves," said Ashley Ossola, class treasurer, the night of the grand event.

Whether they arrived by stretch limo or sport utility vehicle, once the students passed through the glass doors of the Hyatt Regency in Dearborn on May 10. they were ready to dance their last farewell.

This is like the end." Ossola said. This is really weird, finally our senior prom," said student Gina

Spinazze. Spinazze's mother, Cheryl, milled about in the hotel lobby with hundreds of other parents in order to capture the glamour on film. She

said it was difficult for many to see their children looking so adult.

All of us moms are kind of lamenting together. These are our babies and this is their Senior Prom. It doesn't seem like long ago they were on the hill at Amerman, sledding. It goes by in the wink of an eye. Cheryl Spinazze said. This is a great looking bunch of kids. It's neat that the parents are invited to come and take pictures. I'm sure the kids are anxious for

Although hors d'oeuvres were provided and parents were invited to stay for the duration, all but the teacher chaperones left the hotel before the students were served dinner in the ballroom.

Amidst \$3,000 worth of balloons, streamers and ice sculptures provided by Emerald City Designs, stu-

dents were treated to a three-course meal featuring their choice of chicken marsala, filet mignon or vege-

After the plates were cleared, virtually everyone took to the dance floor as DJ-spun disco, funk and alternative music was interspersed with ballads. including the prom's theme song "Wonderful Tonight" by Eric Clapton.

It wasn't until midnight that the last of the students lest for their coaches, to be whisked to parties in hotel rooms or at the homes of friends.

Many had trips to Cedar Point or summer cabins scheduled for the weekend.

The prom and its aftermath went off without incident, much to the Gina Spinazze relief of senior class staff advisor Chris Ford, who helped students to plan the \$22,000 party.

They've spent four years looking forward to prom and it's so nice to see them dressed up and excited about the event. It creeps up on them," Ford said. But you have to get through Saturday first with no phone calls. Then the prom is a success.

The senior class paid for the formal dance through fund-raisers, including manning a concession booth at the Pontiac Silverdome. They were able to subsidize the ticket costs to \$50 per couple, and to provide each student with a leather bound photo album and a customized Northville High chocolate bar as

"I just hope it's everything everyone hoped for. It's really weird. I don't know what to do. After all this is over, we're pretty much done," said senior class presi-

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Prepping for the prom that night, Northville High School senior Lauren Metaj has her makeup done Friday afternoon at the Gina Agosta Salon in Novi.





Parents of Northville High School Senior Prom goers stand in line to get their kids' photos before the big event Friday night at the Dearborn Hyatt.



Posing for a group photo for their parents, and putting their best feet forward are Northville prom attendees (from left) Julie Flis, Karla Kalso, Lori Carbott, Cara Jasiolek, Ashely Ossola, and Kathy Skotanis.





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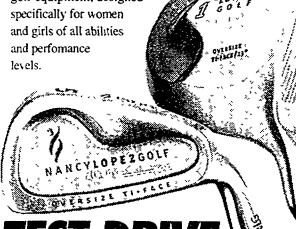
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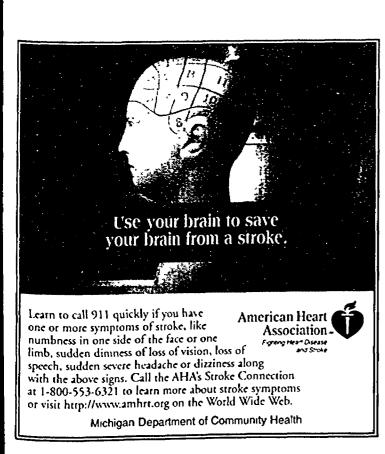
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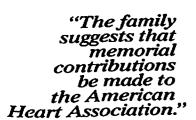
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OPINION

Township staff vacancies need to be filled, quickly

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ship's staffing.

Last week township engineer Steve Sills joined a growing list of employees that are pulling up stakes and heading out of town.

The exodus began with former township manager Dawn Flynn, who was fired a little less than a year ago. Then there was township planner Julie Thompson, who left not long after that - Thompson continues to perform in a part time planning capacity.

Last month township public services director Bill Anderson dropped departure, and last week Sills manager may play. announced his as

And while it might not be time for township officials to set up the deck chairs on the Titanic, they certainly need to begin working aggressively to fill the four positions.

And they need to start by hiring a new manager.

Now there are those who will argue that ager. That the supervisor can take on manager in here yesterday," she said. those responsibilities full time.

township is readily apparent. Everything becomes too politicized, critical decisions are not made quickly enough, the provision of services becomes inconsistent, and department heads begin spending more time protecting their turf than serving the taxpayers.

Then there is the basic issue of trust. In a country that employs a system of government dependent on checks and balances, having elected officials run the day-to-day operation of a township is akin to giving the fox the key to the henhouse.

Simply put, we elect local officials to set policy, ensure the enforcement lage on Aug. 4.

omething seems to be slightly of ordinances, and authorize the proper and just use of our tax dol-

> It is the manager who should administrate the policy and funds. hire staff to ensure essential services are provided to taxpayers, and manage the day to day operations. The manager should also act as the buffer between elected officials and township employees, thereby ensuring the integrity of the system of checks and balances.

There is a flaw in the mechanics. however. According to township clerk Sue Hillebrand the rules that govern the charter township of Northville a virtual bomb by announcing his places strict guidelines on the role a

Per the rules, managers may be given responsibility to do the community's business, but may not go forward with a great number of initiatives without the consent of the elected board.

Despite those conditions, Hillebrand being courted to approve believes a manager a tax increase in August. in whatever limited form — is needed. "After being here for

there is no need to hire another man- six years, it's my opinion we needed a

We agree. For township officials to We disagree. The problem with the go almost one year without filling supervisor, who is an elected official, this critical position is a disservice to managing the daily activities of the township taxpayers - the same people currently being courted to approve a tax increase in August.

And the same applies for the other vacant positions. The township board needs to proceed quickly in hiring replacements to provide the quality level of services promised to, and expected by, township taxpayers. Woodside said progress is being made this week in that regard, and the positions vacated by Anderson and Thompson will be filled shortly.

That's encouraging, but the bottom line is this - not filling those positions quickly could result in dire circumstances, including a failed mil-

MEAP is a good measurement tool

I had an enlightening conversation with a Northville parent the other day. The topic was the high school MEAP

test, which was given to 11th graders two weeks ago. As everyone knows by now 68 percent of those Northville students slated to take the exam were no shows, joining hundreds of other metro Detroit area juniors that boycotted the state test.

As I was expressing my dismay at those statistics, the parent made a revealing statement - "why should I force my son to take a test that doesn't mean anything?" she asked me. "I just want to make sure he gets into a university.

Other parents have expressed the same sentiments to me over the past few weeks, and the more I think about it, the more I have to question parents' priorities when it comes to their child's education

It almost seems that many are more concerned with how to make their child more attractive to universities than with the level of knowledge their child attains before leaving high

And in Northville, an affluent community whose members demand strict accountability of the educational system, it is shocking that parents would actually allow their children to opt out of a test geared towards measuring the level of proficiency of the student and the school system.

I'd like to introduce a word that accurately describes this particular situation - hypocrisy.

It is hypocritical for parents to demand local educators be accountable for the level of services they provide, and then turn around and refuse Robert Jackson

to take part in a test that measures that level of service.

That's just as if Ford Motor Company refused to allow consumers to test the quality of its' cars. Or if the Federal Drug Administration refused to test a new treatment because the testing standard is too tough. Or allowing doctors and surgeons to forego the certification process simply because it takes too much time.

Imagine, if you will, what life would be like if we didn't require people to take a simple test to be allowed to

Thousands of products and services we use every day undergo rigorous testing. We as a society demand that because we want to be sure that we receive the highest quality possible.

Shouldn't education be viewed the same way?

If we are going to demand that teachers provide quality in the classroom, if we are going to demand that more courses be offered to students, if we are going to demand that new technology be introduced, and if we are going to demand that the level of educational excellence be increased, then we need a mechanism to ensure our kids

receive the benefits of our demands.

That, just in case your not following

my chain of thought, means we need to test the product, and currently the only test that measures the product - the proficiency of our graduating high school students - is the MEAP test. The test that 68 percent of our

Northville students refused to participate in.

And measuring the proficiency level of students isn't the only benefit of the test. In keeping with my consumer/product theme, wouldn't it be nice to have your 12th grade son or daughter be able to sit down with a high school guidance counselor and make their college decisions based on their individual MEAP scores?

Simply by looking at the results, a student would be able to choose several courses of study based on his or her academic strengths.

Now there's a tool any consumer would find useful.

There are still a few problems to be worked through with the High School MEAP test - quicker turnaround of results, better scoring methods, and consistent test dates to name a few. But in the final analysis if we, as a community, are truly concerned with providing a means to measure the academic strengths and weaknesses of our children and school system, then we need to support this test and the message it represents - providing a better system of learning that benefits the future of our children.

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In Focus by John Heider



Hand art

Meads Mill Middle School teacher Khris Nedam applies a line of henna paste in a precise pattern on the hand of one of her students Monday afternoon. Her class was learning the history of the henna application, called mehndi, and was able to do some artwork on their own hands, too.

Prom made my birthday memorable

It was the best birthday ever!

No one got the hint when I tacked a catalog picture of diamond earrings to the bulletin board at work with May 9 casually scrawled across it, but I enjoyed my friends this year much more than gifts.

My birthday fell on Saturday, but I extended the celebration far beyond a single day. It began Friday night when I finally got to go to my first senior

No. I'm not dating teenagers. The Northville High Senior Class and their staff advisor, Chris Ford, invited me to cover their prom at the Dearborn Hyatt.

Not only did they treat me to a great meal of vegetarian lasagna, but I even got a slow dance with the principal (as I live and breathe).

Then, I enjoyed the event vicariously through the students. They looked absolutely stunning, and acted nothing but elegant.

From my objective vantage point, it seemed everyone had a great time. I'll be sad to see all those familiar

faces graduate ... By midnight, I was back in Northville at Poole's Tavern, joining a friend who was born on exactly the same day as me. We shared a 26th birthday toast with the Poole's crew.

Wensdy White

including stellar owners Mary and Richard. I'm so glad that family's in town, offering up a cozy gathering spot for us locals.

Then, I spent the weekend enjoying outdoor activities. Only during the first week of an El Nino May could l canoe, hike and yes, even water ski, slaloming on a glassy lake in Dexter with the sunset over one shoulder and a full moon over the other.

I thought that was the perfect finale until I met up with Bob Seger and the entire Silver Bullet Band at the No. VI steak house at the Hotel Baronette in

Novi on Monday night. It just so happens that Seger's birthday was May 6, and his band mates and their wives (or girlfriends) chose the new restaurant for a belated gathering. Seger had been into Morton's of Chicago in Southfield while I was working there as a hostess, and I regretted not getting the chance to talk to him then. But he and his lovely wife had tucked themselves away in a posh. booth, so he wasn't exactly approach-

But the mood at No. VI was festive and the band was lounging in their rock-n-roll inspired leathers on overstuffed leather chairs.

And since, after all, Seger and I share the same astrological sign, I had the perfect excuse to sidle my way into their group toast.

He must get adulation wherever he goes, and I'm not one that likes to appear starry-eyed in front of celebrities (even if I am), but Seger deserves it. So I thanked him and his band for their music, and told them how I grew up pilfering my dad's Seger records

onto my turntable. They must be the most down-toearth group in the world, and everfaithful to the Detroit area, so I invited them to hang out in Northville and Novi anytime.

After all, I always have fun here. Especially on my birthday.

Wensdy White is a staff writer for the Northville Record.

Volunteer cooperation brings art to Main Street

nce again, Northville volunteer organizations are coming together to satisfy a commu-

This time they're offering food for

A partnership between Northville's Arts Commission and Central Business Association has hatched "Discover Art In Northville," a day long walking tour of Northville galleries. shops and restaurants.

If people turn out to support the event, it may become a tradition

with many benefits.

First of all, it will offer exposure to some of Northville's hidden treasures. Many artists live right in town but don't have a local venue for their work. By giving them an audience, businesses will show that art is an appreciated and celebrated pursuit.

Second, it will bring business downtown. The shops have agreed to open their doors on Sunday and have hand selected the artists they will feature.

Hopefully the photographers. painters, musicians and authors they chose will attract new cus-

Thirdly, it will promote diverse art in the community as a whole. The Northville Arts Commission has lots of great ideas, but not the manpower or funding to carry them out.

The art walk is an inexpensive way to promote art because businesses can take the reins and organize independent exhibits.

One of the only things they've had to join together on is to print up the advertising, which Arts Commission director Sue Taylor hand delivered by the armful throughout town.

That way the art walk snowballed shows that the community gets excited to celebrate art-centered events.

But the art walk can't be deemed a success unless it is well attended. Only then will it achieve its manifold

We think it would be a resounding show of support to spend a Sunday afternoon perusing the creativity the City of Northville has to offer by making the first-ever art walk a well attended success.

Drivers' Education belongs in schools

In the wake of the settlement of the Durant case that forced the state to repay school districts for past underfunding, the Legislature decided to save money by dropping the requirement that all school districts had to offer free driver training.

Those of us who have some personal stake in encountering well-trained young drivers on the road wondered what school boards would do in response. Although around 20 school districts have dropped driver education programs altogether, most - around 80 percent by informal survey - will continue to offer the program.

But at what cost? Driver training programs offered by schools cost an average of \$200 per pupil. But the state will contribute less than half the cost for drivers' ed, leaving a significant shortfall. I'd guess most school districts are either going to charge for their own driver training programs or subcontract with private companies that charge something like \$300 a pop.

Either way, the risk is that some kids lespecially poor ones from poorer school districts) are going to leave school without exposure to driver training. This is bad. Both nationally and in Michigan, traffic crashes are the leading cause of death for teenagers. and study after study has demonstrated that kids who take driver education courses are safer drivers than those who have not.

Why am I so concerned about all this? Simple. My son, Nathan, turned 16 this

Up to March, I had maintained a naive belief that I had a reasonably firm grip on the trials and tribulations of adolescence. But with Nathan's dawning recognition that the rite of passage of the 16th birthday



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opened the regulatory door to actually taking the road alone in a car, life in our family changed irrevocably.

First were the negotiations about just how many milliseconds after he turned 16 would elapse before he would take his driving test and get his driving license. Fortunately, these talks evolved into discussions of just how he would take responsibility for finding and enrolling in the required defensive driving course.

Second, and far more protracted, were the negotiations around cars. "Get him a beater with a heater," said Kathy, my wife, who argued persuasively for a four-cylinder model that featured only laborious acceleration and weighed in excess of two metric tons. Nathan preferred something rather sportier, preferably in red.

Kathy and I set out a series of parameters not to be exceeded.- price, speed, insurance cost - and some jointly held requirements air bags and a stick shift. We told Nathan that within these limits, the choice of a car was his. Than he and I took to the roadways, this newspaper firmly in hand, searching for used cars.

Despite one conflict situation - over a Mazda MX-6, as I recall - the car shopping turned out reasonably well. We settled on a 1993 Honda Civic coupe (red, to be sure) with 78,000 miles on it. We took it to the reliable mechanic for an evaluation and returned to the used car dealer, check in

So now Nathan is driving, and every time we see his car disappearing up the driveway. Kathy and I die just a little bit. And every night we go to bed before he gets home, we wonder whether the next thing we hear will be the late night phone call from a police-

That's why I worry about driver training and what school districts are going to do about funding it.

I doubt this Legislature is going to re-mandate driver training for all schools, although I wish it would. I suspect a lot of schools are going to buy into the easy rationale that it's OK to duck responsibility for driver training. even though good driving skills are as essential in today's world as facility with a computer keyboard or the traditional reading, writing and math.

The fact is that younger drivers are the most dangerous driving group. Younger drivers who had not taken driver training are the most dangerous driving group of all. Schools ought to work hard to make driver training available to all kids, not just those whose families can afford it.

Phil Power is chairman of HomeTown Communications Network Inc., the company that owns this newspaper. He welcomes your comments, either by voice mail at (734) 953-2047, Ext. 1880, or by e-mail at ppower@oeonline.com.



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Letters to the Editor

Poor planning leads to excessive traffic flow

This letter is written to address a serious safety concern on Rippling Lane in Northville Township. On our residential street, we have a serious speeding problem. occasionally it is outright reckless endangerment to the residents.

Poor planning in the past has led to an excessive traffic flow to further compound the problem. One answer would be for township planners to provide another road to direct traffic out onto Seven Mile Road from Scenic Harbour (south). Currently, Rippling Lane is an accident waiting to happen. There are no sidewalks for the many children, elderly, bicyclists, baby strollers, rollerbladers, dog walkers, skateboarders, etc., who have no choice but to walk in the street. Combine this with the almost Ushape of the curving street along with the hurried drivers who have nearly a mile to drive through residential streets before they get to Eight Mile Road.

We live on the edge because of the daily death defying stunt driving. The ruts from tire tracks on many front lawns are testimony of the improper speed to road condition ratio. Some curves are nearly a 45-degree angle.

We need township officials to press Wayne County to reduce the speed limit to 15 mph, place stop signs at park entrances, and open up a Seven Mile Road throughway. This is very little to ask for public safety. Keep in mind, traffic deaths and property damage from accidents exceed the cost of crime in Michigan.

In addition, although township police have been very help in the past, we need patrols more often. at least one a week on an ongoing basis to keep the NASCAR "wannabes" from ending a life.

Thank you. S.J. Sundberg

District should follow zoning

To the editor:

This letter is written in response to the letter to the editor from James M. Koster in the May issue of The Northville Record...we are not laughing. Even if it is "common knowledge. as you assume, that the construction of public school buildings fall under the authority of the state superintendent, there is no justification to exempt the school district from complying with local zoning ordinances. which are designed to assure compatibility between land uses in the township.

In regards to your statement, that people chose to live adjacent to a school property, and then complain that a school is next to them, you are missing the point.

As residents of property abutting the proposed high school site, we are concerned and alarmed that the school district, and those involved members of the design team, would make decisions that impact on the residents of the adjacent surrounding community without ever visiting the actual site, or working with the abutting homeowners, to evaluate the potential consequences of placing a lighted. PA system-enhanced stadium within 20 feet of property lines and a poorly-designed, unsafe detention pond within the same set-back distance in an rarea that will destroy a mature;

Irreplaceable woodlands (which could be used to the school district's advantage in the curriculum of the science program, besides as a natural buffer that would also enhance the school

As for your disparaging comment as this being a litigious society, and us wanting to blame someone else, this is not the case. We purchased our property knowing that the proposed high school was to be built adjacent to it, as well as did every other resident in the Woods of Edenderry. We find it equally incredible that the school district would disregard its township's zoning ordinances. which are designed for the protection of its residents health, safety, and general welfare, and be in favor of lower standards of design and siting than any other land use in the township. Thus, we are grateful there can be a way to address our concerns, if they are ignored by the school district, since we do not intend to "sit

down and shut up. Your demand to the board of education to build the high school so that 99.999 percent of the district's residents can use and enjoy it should be taken a step further. It can be built so that 100 percent of the residents can use and enjoy it, and so that the adjacent residents can use and enjoy their property too. This can be accomplished simply by abiding by the local zoning ordi-

> Daniel Yakima Mary Beth Yakima

Color should not be an issue

To the editor: Let's try one more time. It can't be that difficult. If the law of the land permitted college entrance personnel to exclude blacks and Hispanics because of their color, ethnicity, or culture, the liberals would go bonkers and the rock throwing would never stop. Reality, today, suggests affirmative action is reason to preclude college entrance to whites and

of drug and alcohol survey

Reader appalled by results

I'll be 75 this month so it will be 58 years in June that I graduated from high school. After reading The Northville Record last week about the drinking and drug problems in Northville, I can't believe we have gone down to the depths reported.

In the eighth grade, we have dropped 20 percent to 37 percent in 1998. Do you mean to tell me at one time, 57 percent of them used alcohol at 13 years of age? Tenth graders use has risen 15 percent to 29.5 percent in 1998. Seniors reported a 10 percent drop with 74.6 percent reported use within the past year.
Fifty percent of seniors report-

ed binge drinking at least one time during the past two weeks. Binge drinking is suicide, stupid.

percent of eight graders, 36.6 percent of tenth graders and 60.5 percent of seniors reported drinking. It is hard for me to believe. These are the students that the voters passed a \$61.5 million bond issue to insure

them to be able to compete in the new world economy. Maybe we don't need new schools when the public finds out about our drinking and drug problems in Northville schools. No one will want to move here so our school population may not increase as the experts expect. I would predict that if they keep this rate up, 75 percent will be losers.

Who is to blame? I would say that lack of discipline at home and no respect for their parents or themselves. As I have written before, no one I graduated with smoked or drank. Who wants to kiss a girl that stinks from smok-

My senior cruise was an afternoon on the Boblo boat. Sounds kind of corny but we had fun. No one got drunk, no smoking, and

I'll end with a joke after hearing that the state of Michigan sent out double checks last month. What is the difference between Hi-Tech and Obsolete? Obsolete works.

Dean H. Lenheiser

Asian-Americans because of their

Amazing that the liberal mentality would admit to such obvious perversion and racism. When women gained suffrage in the early 20s, they were not told that they could now vote twice in each election for the next 60 years to achieve atonement for past wrongs. It can only be right that no one be denied college enrollment because of color.

Neil Goodbred

Defending the Constitution

To the editor:

In a recent article in the New York Times, L. Alvarez wrote that by a slight majority, the Senate passed a bill that would allow money up to \$2,000 to be made available to families with incomes of less than \$95,000 so that they may send their children to a private or parochial school. The tens of thousands of fairly well-off families who now send their children to a private school would benefit most, since low-income families could not, in most instances, afford the private school tuition costs that are over and above the \$2,000 allowed by the proposed legislation. Then too, our public school system would suffer considerably as a

result.

Why are so many trying to emasculate the First Amendment to the Constitution which states, Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion..."? Lest we forget, the separation of church and state has served our country well these past several hundred years. Without the first amendment protection, we might well have found ourselves in the situation that Bosnia, Sudan, Middle East, Ireland, etc., find themselves today. a situation rife with internecine

Alfred P. Galli

Westfall tribute appreciated

To the editor:

We would like to express our sincere gratitude on the outstanding tribute given to Louis Westfall.

To Dr. Doug Vernon of the First United Methodist Church, the Northville City Police and Fire Departments, VFW Post No. 4012. Casterline Funeral Home, all area police and fire departments, and all relatives, friends and neigh-

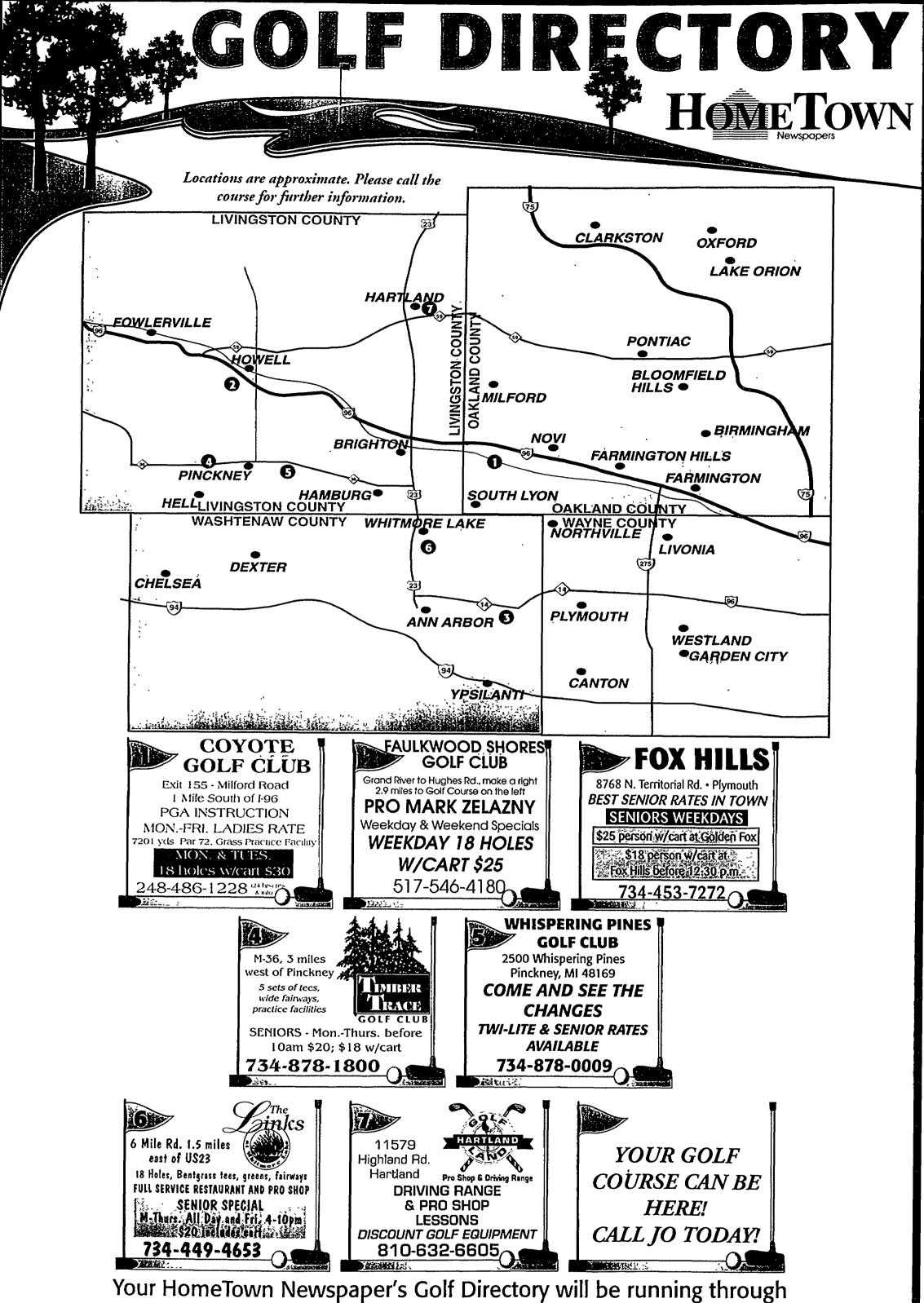
Thank you so very much for all of your support and caring during this very difficult transition in life.

Laree Westfall Children and Grandchildren

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Submit letters to: Editor, The Northville Record, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167



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OUR TOWN





Laura Little has photographed various buildings and scenes at Mill Race Village and Michigan State University's Toligate Center for greeting cards and will donate the proceeds of the sale to the organizations.

It's in the Cards

Photographer donates work to raise funds for the Northville Historical Society

By CAROL DIPPLE

It was a new idea for the Northville Historical Society but they figured that as long as it wasn't for profit, it's okay with them.

And it's too soon to tell how much Laura Little's photographic project will net for Mill Race, but Little and the Historical Society are excited about it.

Laurie Marrs at the Northville Chamber of Commerce has also given the thumbs up for Little to display her photo greeting cards in the lobby at the Chamber with the all the proceeds again going to Mill Race.

Little's first Northville exhibit of her photographs was in 1996 at Dancing Eye Gallery, which still carries her greeting cards for sale.

A resident of Farmington Hills, she stumbled onto Mill Race after visiting Theresa Schierloh, the owner of Dancing Eye Gallery, one day and began photographing immediately.

A dozen different photographs will be available. The offerings will vary depending on the seasons.

All of the proceeds from the sale of the twoand-a-half by six-inch photograph cards which come with an envelope will be donated to the Northville Historical Society for refurbishing and keeping up the grounds of Mill

Race Village. Cards are \$4 each.

Each piece is titled, and on the back is a brief description of the photograph along with the artist's blography

the artist's biography.

About three months ago Little began a similar project with Michigan State University's Tollgate Center at Meadowbrook and Twelve Mile roads in Novi. All the proceeds from the sale of those photo cards will go into a fund to enable school children to visit the farm.

They found with the schools it was too expensive to get the bus, get the bus driver, hopefully the monies from this will allow the school children to come on field trips," she

Little, who has been honing her craft for four years, originally started out with a bachelor of arts degree from Michigan State Uni-

versity in 1982 in interior design.
In about 1994 she met photographer Monte

Nagler at Border Books and showed him her photos from a recent vacation. Encouraged by his response and an invitation to attend a two-week photography trip, she continued pursuing a career in photography.

"I have learned a tremendous amount from him," she said of her ongoing mentor relationship with Nagler.

She does not use any special equipment for the panoramic shots she has chosen for the cards, although she does own her own camera equipment. She uses a disposable Kodak panoramic camera.

"It is 100 percent composition, there is nothing technical about this," she said. "It is how you see the world and knowing the lighting conditions, where to stand, the reflections."

Since the buildings at Mill Race Village, including the gift shop, do not open until Sunday, June 7, there is no way of predicting the public's response.

This is the first time that such a project has been proposed to the Northville Historical Society, according office manager Pat

Schimmler.

"It seems like a pleasant idea," Schimmler said. "We haven't done it before. The cards are very attractive. As long as it's strictly donation we have nothing to loose."

The grounds of Mill Race are always open unless it has been reserved for a private function. Buildings will be open throughout the

summer from 1 until 4 p.m.

"All donations are gratefully accepted that's for sure." Schimmler said.

Little's other projects include portrait photography, presentations to school children, acrylic painting, hand painting of black and white photographs, and exhibits in Northylle including Art in the Park.

She has been published in "Photographer's Forum" for the past two years and has her work in various galleries in the country and

the state.

Little said her slogan has become "what ever it takes, I get the shot" so don't be surprised if you see someone hanging upside down from a tree in Mill Race or Tollgate.

Little can be reached at (248) 848-1013.

Volunteer



Submitted photo

Catherine Campbell-Terrell (second from left) receives the 1998 Corporate Volunteer of the Year award from Raymond Reed, Michigan Metro Girl Scout Council first vice president; and Penny Baller, executive director (right) and Beth Konrad, luncheon co-chair.

Campbell-Terrell is honored for work with the Girl Scouts

By CAROL DIPPLE Feature Editor

Catherine Campbell-Terrell has been named as a 1998 Corporate Volunteer of the Year by the Michigan Metro Girl Scout Council. She is one of only 29 of the council's 13,000 adult volunteers who received the award this year.

A Novi resident for six years, Campbell-Terrell juggles a career as a product design engineer for Ford Motor Company, with being a wife to Delmon, mother of two, along with volunteer work.

"You make time," Campbell-Terrell said. "I love kids. You just find the time."

The award recognizes the efforts of employees of businesses and institutions in the Greater Detroit area who give their time to make a significant positive impact on the lives of girls.

And Campbell-Terrell gives generously. She is currently the leader, first aider, troop camp consultant, lifeguard, and cookie and calendar/nut manager for Junior

"There are never enough volunteers."

-Catherine Campbell-Terrell 1998 Corporate Volunteer of the Year

Troop 2382 at Novi Meadows Elementary School in Novi of which daughter Crystal. 12, is a member. She became involved in Girl Scouting seven years ago when daughter, Christina, 15, joined a very active troop.

Campbell-Terrell was a Girl Scout herself for one or two years when she was growing up before the troop disbanded and she did

not find another one to join.

She says she enjoys the volunteer work with the troops because it gives her opportunities to get involved in activities that she would not normally have participated in, and gives her additional time with her daughters.

"There is always something to do with the Girl Scouts," she said.

"There are a lot of opportunities. It is different than in the past. There are more things. We travel, mentor, they are on the Web, there are a lot of things to do and it's fun."

The best thing of all is that (the Girl Scouts) help build self esteem and give girls positive direction and positive influence."

Campbell-Terrell also makes time to volunteer as a mentor for Cornerstone School in Detroit and Is a volunteer usher for the Fox Theater, but is still able to watch Christina compete in the throwing events at track meets.

"Every organization needs volunteers and needs people to help out." she said. "There are never enough volunteers."

She was recently notified of her selection as one of two chaperones for 16 girls who will be going to Africa next year with the Michigan Metro Girl Scouts' Wider Opportunity program.

"I love people and meeting new people and it gives me a chance to meet new people," she said.

Chefs participate in fight against hunger

Rick Halberg of Emily's in Northville, Mary Brady at Diamond i m



Carol **Dipple**

in Novi. and Jody Coe and Deborah Kingen of h e Michigan Star Clipper Dinner Train in Walled Lake

Brady's

among the 30 plus Michigan chefs participating in the 1998 Share Our Strength Taste of the Nation dinner event which was held on April 23 at The Rattlesnake Club and Stroh River Place atriums in Detroit.

Share our Strength is the mation's leading anti-hunger organization that mobilizes industries and individuals to contribute their alents to fight hunger.

. The annual fund raiser was established in 1988. Each year more than 65,000 guests attend food and wine tastings, sit-down dinners and brunches held in over ,100 cities across the United States and Canada. Since its beginning. Taste of the Nation events have raised more than \$18 million which has been distributed to over 400 groups working to fight and prevent hunger in the U.S., Canada and developing countries.

One hundred percent of the ticket price went directly back to the fight against hunger.

Girl Scouts pitch in to clean up yard

· Amerman Elementary School Girl Scout Troop 448 scouts Chelsea Gress, Brittany Myers, Kendyl Bryant, Danielle Quinlan, Holly Kellogg, Rachel Reuter, Sarah Pilarz, Stephanie Bommarito, Kelly Wells, Kristyn Woll and Katie Jingozian cleaned up the courtyard at Old Village School in Northville recently because the school plans



Amerman Elementary School Girl Scout Troop 448 members Chelsea Gress, Brittany Myers, Kendyl Bryant, Danielle Quinlan, Holly Kellogg, Rachel Reuter, Sarah Pilarz, Stephanle Bommarito, Kelly Wells, Kristyn Woll and Katie Jingozian helped cleaned up the courtyard at Old Village School in Northville recently.

on developing this area into an Northville and gardenviews are animal habitat.

The idea and design came from Old Villiage School special education teacher David Bartlett.

To be certified as a school yard habitat by the National Wildlife Federation, the area must include food, water, cover and places to raise young, according to Bartlett. Old Village School students will make birdhouses, feeders and bird baths. They will also be responsible for cleaning and maintaining the area, planting flowers and maintaining the food supply.

The Country Garden Club of

providing funding and guidance.

Board of Awards asking for last requests

The Northville Town Hall Series Board of Awards is currently considering requests for money from charitable organizations.

Charitable organizations should send a written request including a statement on how the money will be spent and a brief summary of the purpose of the organization by May 31 to the attention of Board of Awards Chairman, Northville Town Hall Series, P.O. Box 93, Northville, MI 48167.

Board of Awards committee members and the cities they represent are Mrs. Roy Mattison, chairman (Northville), Mrs. Douglas Bolton (Northville). Mrs. Charles Childs (Plymouth), Mrs. Harriet Larson (Livonia), Mrs. Francis Korte (Novi), Mr. Herman Moehlman (Northville), and Mr. Ken Perrin (Farmington).

If you have information for the In Our Town column, call Feature Editor Carol Dipple at (248) 349-1700.

On Campus

NEIL YAEKLE graduated May 1, from the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor with a bachelor's degree in business administration.

KIMBERLY YAEKLE, a junior, has been inducted into the Sigma Theta Tau National Nursing Honor Society at the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor. To be eligible for admission, juniors must be in the top 10 percent of their class. She has also been elected senior class president for next

year in the college of nursing.

Dirk and Sandy Yaekle of Northville are the parents of Kimberly and

PAMELA L. CLANCY of Northville has been initiated into the senior liberal arts honorary Phi Beta Kappa. Students initiated must demonstrate academic excellence throughout their semesters of college work and rank in the top 10 percent of their respective class.

Clancy, a graduate of Ladywood High School, is the daughter of Michael and Linda Clancy. She will graduate with a degree in French and

Northville students TARA McCLURE and EMILY ANN REARDON were named to the Dean's List for winter quarter at Kalamazoo College.

To achieve this recognition, students must earn a 3.5 or better grade

McClure is a freshman and a graduate of Northville High School. She is the daughter of Ilene and Glenn Raymond McClure.

Reardon, a sophomore, is a graduate of Ladywood High School. She is the daughter of Elizabeth Marie and Joseph Timothy Reardon.

The following former St. Paul's students made the honor roll at Lutheran High Westland: SARAH HABITZ, THOMAS HABITZ JR., REBEKAH HOFFMEIER, SARAH HOFFMEIER, and NICHOLAS RUEST. Continue to use your God-given abilities to God's glory.

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Pet of the Week



Rocky is all alone now.

Rocky, a two year old neutered male, has all his shots, loves people and children, is looking for a home as are a variety of other adult dogs and pupples are shown by Critter Connection every Saturday at the Pet Supplies Plus store at 42660 Ten Mile Road in Novi from 11:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.

When Rocky's family moved away, they left him in the abandoned house, which is where Critter Connection found him.

Adoption fees are \$125 for puppies and \$100 for adult dogs. which includes shots, neutering, worming and heartworm check. The fee is refundable if for some reason the adoption does not work out and the dog needs to be returned to Critter Connection.

For more information, or the location on where a specific breed will be shown, call Critter Connection at (248) 855-4136 or (313)

American Girls hold fund raiser at Expo Center

C.S. Mott Children's Hospital invites girls and their mothers, relatives and friends to step into the past and experience 19th century New Mexico at Welcome Josefina -An American Girls Event.

This new fund raising event celebrates the arrival of Josefina Montoya, the newest fictional heroine in the phenomenally popular American Girls Collection of books. dolls and accessories: Josefina is a day, May 17, 1-3 p.m. at the Novi High School cafeteria. Proceeds will benefit C.S. Mott Children's Hospital and will go toward research for juvenile diabetes.

Through an on-screen show, girls and their guests will travel back in time to see what life was like in 19th century New Mexico as the Santa Fe Trail pushed America west. The program reflects the sights, sounds, celebrations and daily activities that Josesina and her family would have experienced living on their rancho outside of Santa Fe.

In addition to the show, girls will hear music, create colorful paper flower decorations called 'ramilletes," and learn how to embroider using the traditional "colcha" stitch. Guests will also enjoy a taste of traditional New Mexican refreshments.

Girls are encouraged to bring

their favorite doll to this memorable occasion. Products and accessories from the Josefina Collection will be raffled as prizes.

Each girl will take home her handmade crafts and free party favors, including a keepsake "Memory Book" to record remembrances of the day.

The cost per person is \$20. which includes refreshments, the on-screen presentation, craft 9-year-old Hispanic girl growing materials and party favors...To in fig. in northern New Mexico in 1824 Walcomew as final will be held on Saturday, May 16, 10 c/o Lisa Barton, 23083 Farming-am.-noon and 2-4 p.m.; and Sunday, May 17, 1-3 p.m. at the Novi Raffle tickets are also available at \$2 a ticket and may be purchased in advance.

For more information, contact Lisa Barton at (248) 344-4182 or Nancy Wagner at (248) 380-2849.

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Former resident returns with book

By CAROL DIPPLE Feature Editor

For Mother's Day Nancy Washburne went snorkeling.

You may have heard her interviewed on WJR in April but on Friday. May 15, you can see her underwater video and meet this snorkeling enthusiast at Barnes and Noble on Seven Mile Road in

Northville Township.
At 7:30 p.m. Washburne will be signing copies of "Snorkeling Guide to Michigan Inland Lakes" which she compiled after visiting 878 public access lakes in six years.

Born and raised in Northville until she was in the third grade, Washburne will also show an underwater video she took during the same time.

Most people Washburne talks to who are unaware that they can snorkel in Michigan, become believers once they watch her underwater video.

That is the educational process I go through, that right out their back door they have all this stuff." she said.

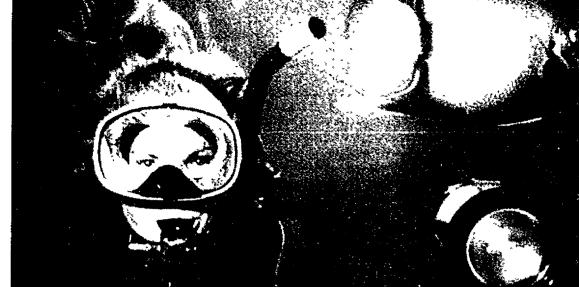
When her 12-year-old son wanted to go camping in 1991, Washburne's hope was to settle into a site near a clear lake so she could use her snorkel and mask.

To prepare for the camping trip. she called the DNR for information on snorkeling Michigan's inland lakes, and was told there was

Both her and her husband, Martin, are experienced divers and have had the thrill of discovering the underwater worlds in the Caribbean, the Great Barrier Reef, the Red Sea. Mexico, and the Pacif-

Diving in the Red Sea is like diving in an aquarium," she said.

She figured since there was no information, maybe there was nothing to discover in the 11,000 inland lakes in Michigan. She began a quest to see if that was really accurate. She found it to hold true after snorkeling in the



Submitted photo

Nancy Washburne will sign copies of her book at Barnes and Noble on May 15.

first 8 or 10 lakes, but then things turned around and she began a diary of each lake she visited.

"It is a tremendous time commitment," she said. "Sometimes you're putting your face in some really yucky stuff before you find a nice

Criteria for making the book. which 480 lakes did, include visibility, fish variety, access, etc. Her previous diving experience gave her a great basis for comparison.

"I only ran into one snorkeler in all those lakes," she said. "I thought 'you know it's amazing people don't know about this incredible treasure we have here'."

Washburne has tried to eliminate the little annoyances that detract from the snorkeling experience which she ran into in the beginning such as ill-fitting equipment by including a section which covers this topic. Snorkeling equipment is readily available at dive shops and a complete outfit comes to about \$100 according to Washburne who also suggests watching for sales.

There is also a section on aquatic plants, photography, and a sport fish identification key.

This is an absolute pioneer effort," she said. "The Great Lakes has been covered.

Mike Graczyk, manager of Divers Inc. which relocated to the Novi Town Center three months ago from Plymouth, has classes in snorkeling, books, and equipment.

He sees an increase in the sport

but said there are not a lot of class-type techniques that are required in snorkeling which leaves it open to pretty much anybody to enjoy.

Nowadays more and more people are getting the opportunity to go on tropical vacations," he said. The more people that go, come back and tell their friends. I don't hear too much about the inland lakes though."

"Snorkeling Guide to Michigan Inland Lakes" is available at Barnes and Noble in Northville and Border Books in Novi.

Now a resident of East Lansing. Washburne is scheduled to appear on a Fox 2 morning television talk show on May 19.

School News

AMERMAN ELEMENTARY

Noodle KaDoodle has donated two Princess Diana Beanie Babies to Amerman PTA. The Beanie Babies will be raffled at the Ice Cream Social.

Mike Tenco of Aladdin Aluminum has donated a blue bird house and will also be making bat and butterfly houses for Amerman. Current PTA Vice President

Cindy Thompsoin is still accepting

volunteers for committee chairs for the 1998-99 school year. Thompson will also be attending the Michigan PTA Convention in Lansing on May 15. Anyone interested in going with her is welcome.

The slate of officers for the 1998-99 school year are president, Cindy Thompson; vice president, Patsy Johnson: secretary, Carol Maise; and treasurer, Laura Kowal-

The teaching guides for grades three through five of the Trailblazer's Math books are now in the parent library. Jeff Lightfoot was named Michigan Teacher of the

The Box Tops for Education fund raiser has brought in \$132. Suggestions for the use of this money are being taken. Twenty three thousand Campbell's soup labels have been turned in for redemption. The Sally Foster fund raiser netted a \$1,000 bonus. Keep saving box tops from General Mills cereals. They will still be accepted even though the deadline is

Volunteers are still needed for the Ice Cream Social.

The next PTA meeting will be on Tuesday, June 2. There will be a coffee for the teachers at 8:15 a.m. just prior to the meeting.

Reunions

EAST LANSING HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1978, 20-year reunion, Aug. 29. The University Club in East Lansing. Call (248) 360-7004.

ANN ARBOR PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1978, 20-year reunion, July 18, Crowne Plaza.

CHIPPEWA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1978, 20-year reunion, July 24, Zuccaro's in Chesterfield. Call (810) 465-2277.

LAKE ORION HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1988, 10-year reunion, July 31, Northfield Hilton in Troy. Call (810) 465-2277.

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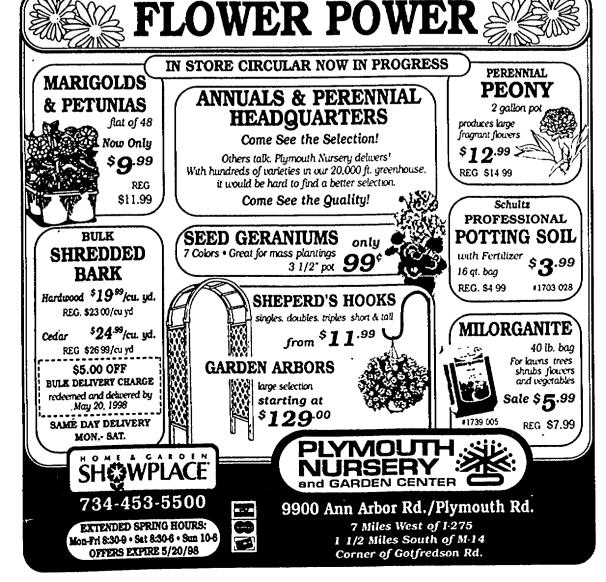
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Engagements



David Dore/Cathy Cruse

Russell and Judy Dore of Northville announce the engagement of their son, David, to Cathy Cruse, the daughter of Ann and Steven Segal of Glendale, Calif.

The bride-elected graduated from high school in Glendale, Calif., and is a graduate of the University of Southern California. She is director of marketing and artistic relations for Warner Bros. Tele-

vision Animation.

The groom-elect is a 1985 graduate of Northville High School and a 1989 graduate of Western Michigan University. He is currently vice president of marketing for the Kids' WB Television Network at Warner Bros. in Burbank, Calif.

A wedding is planned for Aug. 1,

in Studio City, Calif.

James Pawlikowski/Clarissa Quillen

Lou and Shirley Quillen of Novi announce the engagement of their daughter. Clarissa, to James Pawlikowski, the son of Dr. James and Nancy Pawlikowski of Chicago. The bride-elect is a 1990 gradu-

ate of Novi High School and a 1995 graduate of Western Michigan University, where she received a bachelor of science degree in printing-

Clarissa is currently employed

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owbrook Road in Novi, will hold a

Plant and Bake Sale on Saturday,

May 16, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. A

wide variety of geraniums, high

as an estimator at Berlin Industries in Chicago.

The groom-elect is a 1990 graduate of Loyola Academy in Wilmette, Ill., and a 1994 and 1996 graduate of the University of Illinois, where he received a bachelor of science in architectural studies and a master's of architecture in structures. He is currently employed as a structural engineer at Skidmore, Owings & Merrill in Chicago.

Wedding



Kristen and Carl Condon

Kristin Sweitzer and Carl Condon were married June 28, 1997. at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in

Chicago, Ill. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Sweitzer of Lake Bluff, Ill., formerly of Northville. Attending as maid of honor was the bride's sister, Stacy Sweitzer of Latonia, Ky. Bridesmaids were Jennifer Medved, Laura Cugnetti and Noreen Lyall, all of Chicago.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Condon of Conroe. Texas. The groom's brother, Eric Condon of Houston, served as best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Ted Gleason of San Diego, Calif., Mark Gaynor of Niles, Ill., Mike Sullivan of Houston, Randy Sweitzer Jr. of Chicago and Mike Delzer of Milwaukee, Wis.

Kristin and Carl now reside in Austin, Texas.

Joshua Green/Patricia Dunnabeck

On Friday, June 19, Joshua Jeremy Green of Okemos and Patricia Lynn Dunnabeck of Northville will be united in holy matrimony at Our Lady of Victory Church in Northville.

The groom-elect is the son of Gary Green of Detroit and the late Carol Gira Green of Okemos. He is a University of Michigan graduate with his master's degree in special éducation from Michigan State

The bride-elect is the daughter of Joseph and Karen Dunnabeck of Northville and a 1986 graduate of Northville High School. She recently completed her master's degree from Eastern Michigan Uni-

Both bride- and groom-elect teach in the Clarenceville School

The couple plan to live in Plymouth following their honeymoon through the Canadian Rockies.

Church Notes The Women's Service Club of MEADOWBROOK CONGREGAbaskets will be available.

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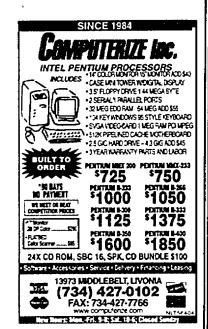
Donations can be dropped of at the rear door of the church on Saturday, May 9, from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. and Sunday, May 10, from 8

a.m. until 3 p.m. Tax receipts will be provided.

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Town Hall Q&A session

Why do Jewish people seem to avoid using the word 'God'?

No one knows how to actually pronounce the word God which is spelled 'yhvh' in Hebrew. Hebrew is all consonants and you have to imagine how it sounded. One is not allowed to say the name because it is sacrilege. Sometimes it is written G-d by a traditional Jew.

According to Jewish beliefs, what happens to non-practicing Jews when they die?

Judaism believes in life after death but its basic premise is that anyone who lives a righteous life will get into heaven.

What do you suppose is the reason the Church doesn't allow the priests to marry?

Historically, the Church has never had a time when there were not married priests. Today there are married priests. A Protestant priest who is married and wants to convert can come in with his family. Msgr. Hartman personally thinks the Church should grow to the point where people have a choice in the Catholic Church and that the Church will look at this question seriously and there will be a change during his lifetime.

Where does Rabbi Geilman get his hats and how does he keep them on?

It is not a hat, it is called a yarmulke, Gellman was wearing a handwoven yarmulke, which is just like those worn by the Pope and the Cardinals. He keeps it on with a bobby pin.

How does one become a monsignor? Is monsignor an honorary title?

The hierarchy begins with a priest who is ordained, a monsignor which is an honorary title, a bishop who is ordained, a cardinal which is an honorary title and then there is the Pope who is ordained. You have two children's books, do you have any adult books?

The books are written for children using simple words, but include profound ideas, which are meant to be read by adults with their chil-

Why is it one year and a day to having to go to the synagogue after the death of parents?

The reason is the same in both traditions. A spiritual accounting happens, a judgment time. The Jewish sense is that it's not punitive it's about soul learning.



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Guest speakers at the last Northville Town Hall Lecture Series Rabbi Marc Gellman and Monsignor Thomas Hartman had time to mingle with members of the audience before the luncheon was served.

God Squad closes Town Hall Series

In Service

Navy Cmdr. DAVID A. WILLIAMS recently graduated from the Naval War College in Newport, R.I., and was awarded a master of arts degree in National Security and Strategic Studies.

During the 10-month course, Williams studied postgraduate subjects of strategy and policy. national security decision-making and joint military operations.

Williams is the son of LaDeen M. Williams of Northville. He is a 1974 graduate of Adlai E. Stevenson High School of Livonia and joined the Navy in June 1978, the same year he graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., with a bachelor of science degree.

Completing his U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command in Great Lakes, Ill., was Navy Seaman Recruit SHAWN D. FELIX, son of John T. and Mary I. Felix of Northville.

During the eight-week program. Felix completed a variety of training which included classroom study and instruction on naval customs, first aid, fire fighting, water safety and survival, and shipboard and aircraft safety. Emphasis was also placed on physical fitness.

Felix is a 1997 graduate of Northville High School.

By CAROL DIPPLE

The Northville Town Hall Series began the last lecture in its 37-year history on April 20 just like the premier that was held in October 1961 with a prominent member of community introducing the guest speakers to the 450 people in attendance.

Rev. Thomas Beagan of the Northville United Methodist Church had the honor of introducing the last speakers of the Northville Town Hall Lecture Series - Rabbi Marc Gellman and Monsignor Thomas Hartman.

The God Squad, as they are also known. interspersed anecdotes, humor, and good natured ribbing with the message they hoped to get across to their audience.

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are different," Hartman said. "We don't know enough about how we are the same." We are not saying we are the same." Gellman

said. We are saying we know enough about how we are different, we don't know enough about how we are the same." The old differences that used to matter, such

as whether one was a Protestant or a Catholic or a Jew, doesn't matter any more, according to Gellman. The important difference in our world now is

not between Jews and Christians it is between people who believe something and people who believe nothing," said Gellman.
Unless the religious communities all get

together and say to the world of paganism that there is a difference between right and wrong,

that God loves us forever, that after death souls go to a place where they will be protected forever by God, and that there will be accountability for the way in which a person has lived their life. America is doomed, according to Gellman and Hartman.

Thirty years ago it would not have been possible for the Catholic monsignor and the rabbi to have had the friendship they have today let alone bring such a powerful message to their

The legacy of prejudice left to us by our ancestors needs to be sorted out, according to Gellman.

"We must love them, revere them and respect them, but we must love them honestly," Gellman said.

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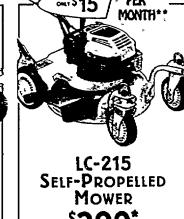


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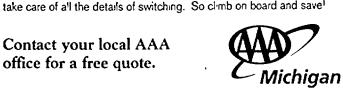
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Novi's youth theater presents classic tale

Performance Plus and Children's Annex present Kenneth Grahame's "The Wind in the Willows" which has been adapted for the stage by Linda Wickert on Friday and Saturday, May 15 and 16, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, May 17, at 3 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center

There are 52 members in the cast ranging in age from eight to 18 who will perform "The Wind in the Willows," which is the tale of the famous gentleman, Mr. Toad of Toad Hall. Mr. Toad sees his first motor car and falls in love with motoring. He crashes each car he purchases, one after another. It is his friendship with the good-hearted and poetic Water Rat; the innocent and curious Mole; and the sénsible, practical Badger that move the delightful tale along. Toad's friends must save Toad from himself and then rescue the magnificent Toad Hall from the Weasels and Foxes who have laid claim to it while Toadie was in prison for stealing a car.

This is a tale of great humor and heroics and of simple values and responsibilities owed to one's fellow creatures.

The production is staged by Melina McCall, Costumes are by

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and 16, 7:30 p.m. ■ Sunday, May 17, 3 p.m.

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■ Tickets are \$8 (\$7 in advance)

For more information, call (248) 347-0400.

Shelley Dzwonkowski and set design and construction is by Timothy Amrhein of the Hilberry The-

Tickets are \$8 (\$7 in advance) and are available at the Novi Parks and Recreation Department which is also located at 15175 W. Ten Mile Road.

The Novi Theatres' concludes its seventh season with "The Pied Piper" on July 10 through 12 and 'Cinderella" on July 31 and August

For more information, call (248) 347-0400.



Photo by HUGH CRAWFORD Cast members in "The Wind in the Willows" includes (clockwise from bottom right) Katie Hoeg, Josh Glomb, Nate Mitchell, Katie Jonson and Kirk Jones.

In town

Submit items for the entertainment listings to The Northville Record/Novi News, 104 W. Main. Northville, MI 48167: or fax to 349-

SPECIAL EVENTS

RENAISSANCE FASHION: The Renaissance Fashion Show has been moved to Sunday, May 17. from noon until 3 p.m. at the Novi Expo Center at 1-96 and Novi Road in Novi. (It was previously scheduled for Saturday, May 16.)

The Fashion Show is free to those who have paid to attend the Motor City Comic Con event.

For more information, call (248)

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PLYMOUTH THEATRE GUILD: The final performances of "Arsenic and Old Lace" will be presented on May 15 and 16 at 8 p.m. the Water Tower Theatre on the campus of the Northville Psychiatric Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road in

General seating tickets are \$8 in advance.

For more information, call (248) 349-7110.

BARNES & NOBLE: Upcoming events include a book signing with Nancy Washburne, author of Snorkeling Guide to Michigan Inland Lakes," on Friday, May 15, at 7:30 p.m.; Robert Sornson, coeditor of Teaching and Joy," and Director of Special Education for Northville Public Schools, will speak briefly to guest educators during Barnes and Noble's Teachet's Appreciation Day on Wednesday, May 20, at 4 p.m.; Dr. Susan Madden, author of "Nobody Overeats" will sign copies of her bbok on Thursday, May 28, at 7:30 pim.; and New Generation Quintet will perform classic and modern jázz on Friday, May 29, at 7:30 p.m. Barnes & Noble is located at

17111 Haggerty Road in Northville. For more information, call (248) 348-0696.

BORDERS BOOKS: Upcoming eyents include Mother/Daughter Book Group discusses "Baby" by Maclachlan (reservations necessary) on May 14 at 7 p.m.; "Stellar Stellaluna" story time with a real live bat on May 16 at 1 p.m.; the illustrator of The Legend of Sleeping Bear. Gijsbert van Frankenhuysen, during story time on May 27 at 10 a.m.; and Meet the Wild Things" on May 30 at 1 p.m.

The Novi store is located at 43075 Crescent Boulevard in Novi. For more information, call Borders at (248) 347-0780.

THEATER

MARQUIS THEATRE: Performances of "Hansel and Gretel" begin May 8 and run through June 6. On Friday, May 8, the performance will be at 7 p.m. All other performances will be at 2:30 p.m.

No children under the age of three will be permitted.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street in Northville. Tickets are \$5.50. Special group rates and times are available. No children under age three will be:> admitted.

GENITTI'S: The interactive comedy dinner theater at Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall is "Trial by Error!"

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Genitti's is located at 108 E. Main Street in Northville.

For reservations or more information. call (248) 349-0522.

MUSIC

FRIGATES INN: Frigates offers live music every Wednesday at 9 p.m. featuring the 2XL Band. The Tim Flaharty Trio with emcee Dan McNall will host an open blues jam every Thursday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. All musicians are welcome. Dance with The Globe at 9 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Frigates Inn is located at the corner of Fourteen Mile and East Lake Drive in Novi. For details, call (248) 624-9607.

HENNESSEY'S PUB: Tommy D Band will perform on May 15 and 16 at 9:30 p.m. Hennessey's is located at 49110 Grand River in Novi. Call (248) 348-4404.

CARVERS RESTAURANT: Nikki Pearse will be appearing on Friday and Saturday evenings from 8:30 p.m. until 12:30 a.m.

Carvers is located at Grand River and Ten Mile roads in Farmington

For more information, call (248)

ART

ART SOURCE: Photographs by Northville resident Kathleen Thompson will be on display at Art Source May 17 through 24. Thompson will be greeting patrons from noon until 5 p.m. on May 17 during the "Discover Art in Northville" walk.

Thompson's hand-colored images have won numerous awards, including one bestowed by the Detroit Institute of Arts. Another was selected for a "Detroit News Michigan Magazine" cover from over 5,000 entries in a statewide photo competition.

Art Source is located at 126 MainCentre in Northville and features prints, museum reproductions, art posters, photographs, etchings and custom framing. Business hours are Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and on Friday until 8 p.m. or by appointment.

For details, call 348-1213.

DANCING EYE GALLERY: The gallery is located at 101 N. Center at Main.

For more information, call (248) 449-7086

GATE VI GALLERY: An exhibit of traditional Japanese and Chi-For details, call (248) 349-8110. - nese calligraphy will be on exhibit through mid-May.

Month-long exhibits of local artists are held in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile in Novi. Viewing of the exhibit is possible during the hours the Civic Center is open.

Local artists interested in exhibiting at the Civic Center should call 347-0400.

ATRIUM CENTER GALLERY: Atrium Center Gallery is featuring the works of well-known Michigan coil weaver Sandy Askew through May. Askew will be honored at an artist's reception on Sunday, May 17, from 1 until 5 p.m. Atrium Center Gallery is located at 109 N.

Center in downtown Northville. Hours are Monday through Friday 10 a.m. until 5:30 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. and noon until 4 p.m. on Sunday.

For details, call (248) 380-0470.

PAINTER'S PLACE: Owned by Caroline Dunphy, Painter's Place, located at 140 N. Center Street in downtown Northville, is featuring watercolor prints of Northville's Mill Race Village during May and June. One print is an autumn scene of the village. The other print is of the gazebo.

Gallery hours are Tuesday through Thursday from noon until 4 p.m. or by appointment. Call (248) 348-9544 for details.

NEARBY

HISTORIC PRESERVATION WEEK: The Salem Area Historical Society is celebrating National Historic Preservation Week with a special exhibit in the newly-restored Jarvis Stone School at the corner of North Territorial and Curtis Roads in Salem Township. The motto of Preservation Week is Preservation Begins at Home. The exhibit is highlighting some special preservation efforts in Salem in addition to the school house itself.

The school and exhibit will be open to the public on Saturday. May 16, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. and on Sunday, May 17, from 1 until 5 p.m.

GARDEN SALE: The Oakland Technical Center-Southwest Campus, 1000 Beck Road, north of Pontiac Trail between Maple and Potter Road in Wixom, will hold a garden sale of annuals and perennials on Sunday, May 17, from noon until 5 p.m. Refreshments will be available. There will be an aroma therapy spa area in Cosmetology. Demonstrations will include cosmetology, desktop publishing,

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MURDER MYSTERY: Authors to visit Murder, Mystery & Mayhem, 35167 Grand River in Farmington, include Ann Ripley, author of "Death of a Political Plant" on May 21 at 6:30 p.m.; and Jeanne Dams, author of "Holy Terror in the Hebrides" in June 1 at 6:30

For additional information, call (248) 471-7210.

WRITERS' WORKSHOP: Sponsored by Borders Books, a Writers' Workshop will be held on Saturday, May 16, at the Radisson Suite Hotel, 37529 Grand River in Farmington Hills. Four, two-hour segments will be

presented by Robert Spiegel, editor and publisher of "Freelancers Marketplace" and former publisher of 'Chile Pepper" magazine. The cost is \$45 per workshop.

with discounts for more than one workshop. The fee includes a oneyear subscription to "Freelancers Marketplace. For information, call (888) 766-

TENT PARTY AND FUND RAIS-ER: Al's Copper Mug. 1704 Maple Road at the corner of Decker Road in Walled Lake, and the Friends of the Foster Farmhouse, will host a Tent Party and Fund Raiser on Sunday, June 7, from 4 until 9

Entertainment will feature Bugs Beddow Band. A 50/50 raffle drawing will be held around 9 p.m. Raffle tickets are \$2 each or 3/\$5.

Dearborn hot dogs, Italian Sausage, Buffalo burgers and cheese burgers will be cooked on the outside grill.
You must be 21 years or older to

enter. For more information, call (248)

624-9659.

ART EXHIBITION: The Plymouth Community Arts Council's spring art exhibition "Hanging by a Thread" will continue at the Jeanne Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts at 774 N. Sheldon Road in Plymouth through May 29 Hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. until noon; Wednesday from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.; and Saturday from 1 until 4 p.m.

For additional times or information, call (734) 416-4278.

ANTIQUE APPRAISAL: The Canton Historical Society will host their annual DuMouchelle Antique Appraisal Clinic on Saturday, May 30, at the Cherry Hill School at the corner of Cherry Hill and Ridge

Hours for the clinic are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Each participant is limited to three hand-carried items. Verbal appraisals are \$7 and

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Now Warner Bros. Feature Animation presents "Quest for Camelot." it's first full-length. fully-animated feature.

This thrilling adventure, set in a magical world, intertwines a timeless legend and rollicking, contemporary humor. Its sweeping vistas and mysterious forests, teeming with mythical creatures, have been created by some of the worlds most distinguished animation

The actors providing character voices include: Pierce Bronson, Gabriel Byrne, Andrea Corr, Celine Dion, Cary Elwes. Sir John Gielgud, Jessalyn Gilsig. Eric Idle. Gary Oldman, Steve Perry.

Bronson Pinchot, Don Rickles, Jane Seymour, Bryan White and Jaleel White.

"Quest for Camelot" is set a thousand years ago in the British Isles, when King Arthur was newly crowned and the land was filled with brave knights doing noble

The story revolves around Kayley (Jessalyn Gilsig, sung by Andrea Corr), a lively and strong-willed girl whose dream is to become a knight of the round table like her late father, Sir Lionel (Gabriel Byrne).

After the evil and power-mad Ruber (Gary Oldman) and his vicious ally, the Griffin (Bronson Pinchot), capture King Arthur's (Pierce Bronson) magical sword Excalibur, Kayley embarks on a dangerous quest to retrieve the sword and save Camelot.

She enters a dense and terrifying forest, where she meets Garrett (Cary Elwes, sung by Bryan White), a young and independent blind man who helps her navigate the many strange and powerful obstacles she encounGarrett eventually joins forces with Kayley, as does a comical twoheaded dragon, Devon & Cornwall (Eric Idle and Don Rickles).

With the blessing of Merlin the magician (Sir John Gielgud). Kayley and Garrett ultimately use their unconventional talents to face down the ruthless Ruber, rescue the kidnapped Lady Juliana (Jane Seymour). Kayley's mother, and save Camelot. They experience monumental risk, danger and excitement as they struggle to fulfill their dreams in this newly told Arthurian legend.

When Warner Bros. created its new Feature Animation division, it was inspired by the possibilities of telling full-length stories through the medium of animation. States Max Howard, President of Warner Bros. Feature Animation. There is almost no type of movie that carries the stamp of its filmmakers as indelibly and uniquely as animated films. The artists are the storytellers, the actors, the stunt people, the special-effects crew, the production designers, the cos-

ters. Though unwilling at first, tumers and the directors of photography. Their point of view, as well as their talent and technique. creates the style and magic of the

"We are thrilled by the opportunity to create and tell a full-length story in a personal style representative of Warner Bros., with its rich legacy of animation as our inspira-

The story of "Quest for Camelot" was loosely based on a book called "The King's Damosel," written by Vera Chapman, but producer Dalisa Cooper and director Du Chau had several ideas about contemporizing the story without destroying it's medieval flavor.

What they knew right away was that an adventure story, no matter how exciting, can only succeed if the audience can really connect with the lead characters.

Says producer Dalisa Cooper Cohen, 'Kayley, our female lead, is a strong-willed, agile and principled young woman who's not afraid to plunge into a haunted forest or take a swing at a villain if the situation requires it. She

wants to be a knight, something unheard of in her era, but she's not so single-minded that she's immune to the charms of a handsome young man who comes to her assistance, either."

The male lead opposite Kayley is Garrett, a blind former stable boy

form Camelot who lives deep with-in the Forbidden Forest. Grudgingly at first, he becomes. Kayley's partner in her quest toq recover the lost sword Excalibur. In the process, Garrett faces some? of his own fears and learns to overcome them.



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Music for 'Quest for Camelot' is a joint effort betweeh David Foster and Carole Bayer Sager

Foster has won 14 Grammy Awards. He began his career as a keyboard performer, working with Chuck Berry, John Lennon, Barbra Streisand and Rod Stewart. among others.

He received his first Grammy for witing 1979's "After the Love Has Gone." performed by Earth, Wind and Fire. His second Grammy came for his production of the cast album for "dreamgirls," the Tony Award-winning Broadway play. It was followed by Foster's entry

into film songwriting, which resulted in the hit songs "Love. Look What You've Done for Me" by Boz Scraggs for "Urban Cowboy" and Chicago's "Hard to Say I'm Sorry' for the film 'Summer Lovers.

Carole Bayer Sager's lyrics have earned her an Academy Award, a Grammy Award, a Golden Globe Award and induction into the Songwriters' Hall of Fame.

While still in her teens, Sager wrote her first No. 1 song, "A Groovy Kind of Love," which has been a hit three times in the past two decades.

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GIVE ME THE CHANCE Caring, sincere SWM, 26, 6'.

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GET TO KNOW ME

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going and friendly, enjoys dining

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SPORTS



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Rachel Gorshak topped the field in the discus at Western.

By JASON SCHMITT Sports Editor

The Northville girls track team knew they were better than Walled Lake Western, it was just a matter of how well it performed in the sprinting events.

In the end, an even split with Western in those events spelled victory for the team 79.7-57.3 last Thurs-

"We had a chance to scout their team the Saturday before at the Stafford Relay," coach Chris Cronin said. "I was concerned that they might have too much sprint power, but we held our own. I knew if we ran well in the speed events our distance would lock up a victory."

Erica Winn was one of the main reasons Northville stayed competitive with the Warriors. The senior captain posted a season-best time in the 100 hurdles (17.9 seconds) and finished second in the 300 hurdles field in her first race in over a year. Missy MacRae finished third in that event.

"Erica had by far her best meet of the season," Cronin said. "When she is aggressive in the hurdles there are few runners in the conference that can match her."

Senior Meredith Reavill won the long jump (15 feet, 5.5 inches) and the 100 (:13.9) and finished second in the 200.

Amy Selle won the 100 in :29.9 and Emily Howland finished third. Jennifer Rohlfs was second in the

100

Selle, Rohlfs, Winn and Howland teamed up to win the 400 relay in :54.8.

Laura Delano won the 800 and Hillary McCrumb finished third. Kelli Kemp was second in the 400, shaving over two seconds off of her previous best.

"Kelli may have found her niche in the 400." Cronin sald. "She has a great stride and is deceptively strong. As Kelli learns the pace of that race, I envision her times dropping dramatically."

As always, the distance runners shined, taking both first and second in the one and two mile runs. The 3.200 relay team also took first. Christin Kolarchick won the 3.200 in a tine of 13:12 and Stephanie Flood was second (13:56). Karen Loeffler won the 1,600 in 6:09 and Amanda Sprader was second (6:11). Delano, Loeffler, McCrumb and Kolarchick won the 3.200 relay.

The Mustangs didn't let up in the field events. Rachel Gorshak was first in the discus (86-11) while Christy Mimikos was runnerup.

Mimikos won the shot put event with a throw of 28-3 and Lauren Bowdell was third.

MacRae and Emily Needham rounded out the scoring by tying for second place in the high jump at 4-4.





Submitted Photo

Junior Karen Loeffler (in front) leads a pack of Northville runners which includes junior Stephanie Flood (middle) and sophomore Nicole Walters.

Tennis team falls to North Farmington, prepares for regional

By JASON SCHMITT Sports Editor

The Northville tennis team found just how tough North Farmington really is and what they will be going up against at the regional tournament tomor-

The Raiders handed the Mustangs their first loss of the year, 6-2, and set up an interesting scenario for the regional tennis tournament tomorrow at Novi and Northville High Schools.

gles with a 6-3, 6-2 win over North Farmington's Nomit Shah. The win guarantees Eggel the top seed at the tournament.

Northville's other win came at two doubles, where Chris Gerlica and Mark Thomson topped a previously undefeated team of Brady Dwyer and Greg Fox.

Gerlica and Thomson won 7-6 (5), 2-6, 7-6 (5) in a

very close match that could repeat itself at the regional

al.
Yusuke Ishigami played tough at fourth singles, but

fell 6-3, 1-6, 4-6 to Brandon Finkle. Matt Thomson faced the defending league and regional champion Brad Jaffe at first singles and lost 6-4, 6-1. All the other matches were straight-set losses for the Mustangs. Derek Sokloski and Matt Schlanser fell 6-1, 6-1 in a deceiving match. Every game was close, but the final score indicated otherwise.

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"We were fairly competitive," said coach Dick Norton. "I fildn't think they'd be quite this strong. But they were really tough at one and two doubles. They played like an undefeated team today."

North Farmington is looking for its second-consecutive Western Lakes (WLAA) championship after Northville ran off a streak of five consecutive titles in

"They just happen to be in one of those cycles right now." Norton said.

N'VILLE THIRD AT MULDOWNEY

The Mustangs rebounded from the loss to North Farmington to place a respectable third at the Muldowney Invitational Saturday.

Northville finished with 14 points, just behind second place Dearborn (15 points) and Liggett (21).

No one brought home a championship for

No one brought home a championship for Northville, but three flight took second and two more grabbed third-place finishes.

Thomson fell to Liggett 6-4, 6-7 (6), 6-7 (7) in the finals at first singles after beating Taylor Kennedy 6-1, 6-0 and Dearborn 6-0, 6-1 in the first two rounds. Also finishing runnerup were Sokloski and

Schlanser at one doubles. The pair fell to Liggett 6-3, 6-2 after topping Edsel Ford 6-0, 6-4 and Stevenson 6-3, 6-0.

Jack Wang and Brian Wilson topped Liggett 7-5, 6-

Jack Wang and Brian Wilson topped Liggett 7-5. 6-3 in the first round and Edsel Ford in the second 6-4. 6-1, but lost to Dearborn 1-6, 6-7 (6) in the finals. Ishigami won his first match at four singles over

Dearborn 6-2, 6-1, but fell to Liggett 2-6, 3-6 in the second round. He then beat Monroe Catholic Central 6-0, 6-0 for third place.

·0. 6-0 for third place. Thomson and Gerlica took the same route for their third-place finish, topping Fordson 6-0, 6-2 before losing to Dearborn 4-6, 3-6. They beat Edsel Ford 5-7, 6-0, 6-0 in the consolation match.

Ryan Prendergast and Brian Arndt won a match and finished fourth at second doubles. Brooks Tomlinson replaced Eggel, who missed the tournament, and topped Monroe CC in his second match.

Dean Conway drew Liggett in the first round and lost' 5-70 6-7'(5). He came back to beat Taylor Kennedy and Stevenson easily.

The team picked up a pair of league wins over Stevenson and Western last week. Thomson, Eggel. Conway, Ishigami, Schlanser and Sokloski, Prendergast and Chisholm and Tomlinson and Arndt all earned wins in a 7-1 triumph over Stevenson.

Winners in the Western match included Thomson. Eggel, Conway, Gerlica and Thomson, Tomlinson and Arndt and Kyle Wargo and Nathan Gudritz.

The team competed at the WLAA tournament Tuesday (after The Northville Records' deadline) and compete at the regional tournament tomorrow.

Mustang kickers fall to Novi 3-0

By JASON SCHMITT Sports Editor

Following a pair of impressive wins over North Farmington and Ann Arbor Huron earlier last week, the Mustangs found themselves in the midst of a letdown in a 3-0 loss to Novi last

Both teams were scoreless until Nori's Kristi Arrington took a pass from Erin Spindler and headed it into the net to put the Wildcats up 1-0, 30 minutes into the game. That's the way the first half would end.

"We moved the ball up the field a couple of times, but we didn't move it to our halfbacks on the outside enough," said Northville coach Doug Lyon. "When we played the ball up the middle, we were stopped. Novi played five back on defense and on their small field, we couldn't move it up the middle."

Novi would add two more goals in the first 16 minutes of the second half. Arrington added her second goal of the game and Lydia Raburn scored to make it 3-0.

In the recent history of the rivalry the games have been rough, leading to several injuries to players on both teams. But both coaches agreed that the game was well-played, without incident or injuries.

"We anticipated a hard-fought game," said Novi coach Lany Christoff. "There was some anticipation that the game was going to be a revenge game for us, but neither my team nor I would ever play a game for revenge. This was a very aggressive game.

"They have a very, very good team and they certainly deserve a better record than they have. But they do play in a tough conference."

"It was a clean soccer game," Lyon said. "I was impressed with how focused Nori was. They are a well-coached team and now we know what we need to do to play well against them. Nori was ready to play and they came out aggressively."

The two teams will see each other in the first round of district action Monday at Northville High School. The winner advances to play South Lyon in the district semifinals Wednesday. Canton and Salem play in the other semifinal.

The Mustangs played South Lyon Monday and played in the Western Lakes' tournament yesterday.

Western Lakes tournament yesterday.

1 hope these games this week will help us work on our next

game with Novi," the coach said.

NVILLE 7, SOUTH LYON 0 Finding it easier to break through South Lyon's defense, the Mustangs had six different players score goals on Senior's night. Jackie Rompel scored two goals and Blakely Barry, Brigd Bowdell, Nichole Gellner, Angela Maile and Kerri Whelan each

added a goal.
"It was a nice spread," Lyon said. "It's nice to see so many dif-

ferent girls score, especially on seniors night."

Tom Mellor gave a halftime speech honoring the five departing seniors who played their last regular-season home game. Seniors Barry, Kristy Macker, Janet McDonald, Lori Carbott and Rompel will have at least one more home game, Monday against Novi in district action.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Senior Jackie Rompel moves the ball upfield against Novi last Thursday.

Baseballers drop two division games

By JASON SCHMITT Sports Editor

In what was inevitable for the Northville baseball team, Harrison and Western high schools found their way onto the Mustang's schedule and each left coach Mickey Newman's team with another tally in the loss column last week.

Northville took it on the chin in a 10-3 loss to Harrison Monday, just four days after falling to Western 5-2.

Both were divisional matchups in the Western Lakes Activities Association and the losses eliminated the Mustangs from a divisional championship.

Harrison built a 5-0 lead after two innings, but Northville scored three runs in the third to pull to within two.

Eric Arnold started the rally with a two-out single and Rob Reel followed with a RBI-double. Evan Edwards and Tim Edick then had back-to-back RBI-sin-

The Hawks then went on to score two runs in the fifth and three more in the sixth to seal the win. Northville was only able to muster up one hit in the last four innings.

"Their pitcher began getting his breaking pitch over the plate and he seemed to get better as the fame went on "Newman said."

game went on, Newman said.
Offensively Reel finished 2 for 4 with a double, a run and a RBI. Edick and Arnold both collected two hits.

WESTERN 5, N'VILLE 2

Kevin Thomas, Western's allstate pitcher, started for the Warriors and was nearly matched by Northville pitcher Ryan Morris. The start was Morris' first divisional start and the senior responded by allowing three runs on just four hits in five innings. He walked just one batter and struck out six.

"Ryan did an excellent job in his first start in the division and he's earned another." Newman said. "Thomas is one of the five best players in the state and Ryan kept up with him."

As for Thomas. Northville was able to break free for both of their runs in the third inning. Brian Horn opened the inning with a base hit. One out later. Kevin Gilchrist singled home Horn and Edwards hit a two-out double to score Arnold.

"We had some chances early on, and you have to take advantage of every chance you get against Thomas." Newman said.

Thomas didn't allow a hit after the third inning.

N'VILLE 9, CENTRAL 5

The Mustangs pounded out a season-high 17 hits and Rob Reel came in to pitch the final 5.3 innings to get his first varsity win.

Northville scored two runs in each of the first two innings an added two more in the sixth and three in the seventh. Ben Keetle got the game-winning RBI in the fifth inning.

Arnold, Gilchrist, Edwards and

Arnold, Gilchrist, Edwards and Andy Borda each went 3 for 4 and Colin MacFarlane was 2 for 3. Reel hit his fifth home run of the year, a two-run shot in the first inning

The Mustangs played Salem yesterday (after The Northville Records deadline) and face Churchili tomorrow.

Golfers scores still dropping

By JASON SCHMITT Sports Editor

Northville golf coach Trish Murray has been one happy camper lately. This last week her team posted very competitive scores in a win and two tough losses, just a week after seeing their scores rise uncharacteristi-

The Mustangs topped Plymouth Canton 203-224 on their home course, Tanglewood. The score was Northville's lowest of the year, and is where Murray would like her team to be with the regional tournament coming up tomorrow.

"I know this team is better than what they've been shooting this year." Murray said. "Like I've been saying this whole year. I figure anything below 210 puts you in a position to win."

Murray said her team normally plays the North nine holes at Tanglewood, but she switched it up and scheduled the match at the South nine.

"Normally we play the North course," she said. "But the kids like the South course because it really makes them think out there. It's definitely a thinking course with all of its water and I used it as a home-course advantage.

This year I've really been stressing course management '

Jennie Church led the way with a 47 and Becky Rankin followed closely with a 48 to set the pace for Northville, Jessie Mills (52) and Marie Dingwall (56) rounded out the top four.

CENTRAL 194, N'VILLE 205

Continuing to improve on its scores, the Mustangs happened to run up against conference powerhouse Walled Lake Central last Wednesday.

Sara Church led the team with a 49 and Andrea Troschinetz tallied a 50. Dingwall and Mills posted rounds of 53 to complete the scoring.

"I was really happy. We played well," the coach said. "If you go out there and play with heart and soul, then I'm happy. I don't think shooting in the 220s is what this team is all about."

FARMINGTON 188, N'VILLE 210

Although no one broke 50 for Northville, no one scored higher than 54 against the combined Farmington team, which made Murray happy about her team's bal-

Jennie Church had a 51, followed by Rankin (52), Mills (53) and Sara Church (54).

This is probably the most balanced team I've ever had," Murray explained. "This is a very cohesive group of girls and no one has acted like an individual this year."

The Mustangs had a rescheduled match with South Lyon on Tuesday (after The Records' deadline). Tomorrow the team will travel to Brighton to compete at the regional tournament at Oak Pointe. Only the top three teams advance to the state meet, and Murray feel's with top-notch teams like Central and Brighton at the meet, her team will have to be at its best to advance.

Northville tops Western 84.5-52.5

By JASON SCHMITT Sports Eator

Everybody picked up their performances as Northville toppled Western 84 5-52.5 in a boys' track contest May 7.

The Mustangs won 13 of 17 events including two sprints, both middledistance races, both long-distance runs, three relays and three field

"We had quite a nice effort from our distance kids, despite windy conditions," coach Bob Boshoven said. *From a strategy standpoint, (Kevin) Arbuckle and (Tim) Schovers had a good showing.

Arbuckle and Schovers finished 1-2 in both the 1.600 and the 3.200 runs and Brian Bilyk was third in the 3 200 Arbuckle paced Western's runner so that he couldn't pull away from Schovers In the end Schovers

overtook his opponent and finished

win the 3,200 relay in a time of 9 hurdles (:165). minutes, 13 seconds

Northville also won the 1,600 relay with Carroll, Justin Dilley, Jim Clemens and Weicksel (4:00.4), as Jim and Tony Clemens, Geno Peters and Chris Ceane.

Eric Retzbach won the pole vault competition with a vault of 9 feet, 6 inches and Ryan Downing was third

*For us to score 5.5 points was a nice turnaround for us in the pole vault." Boshoven said.

Weicksel and Dilley went 1-2 in the 400 and Carroll and Todd Emaus were first and third in the 800. Weicksel won in a time of :55.4 and Carroll's winning time was

The Wonderful

Brett Pawling was the lone Mustang to place in hurdles. The sopho-Arbuckle joined Steve Weicksel, more won the 300 hurdles in :43.5 Max Maihorn and Matt Carroll to and finished runnerup in the 110

Bryan Grider was again a double winner in the throwing events. He won the shot put with a throw of 45-0 and took first in the discus as well well as the 400 relay consisting of (141-3). Ryan Morris was third in the high jump (5-3).

> Tony Clemens remained undefeated in both the 100 and 200. He won the 100 in a time of :11.4, just ahead of Jim Clemens (:11.5). His winning time in the 200 was :23.0. Ceane was third in the 200 (:23.9).

The team faced Canton Tuesday (after The Northville Records' deadline). Tomorrow the team will compete at the regional track meet. Tuesday Northville will compete at the

League Line

U-11 BOYS

The Arsenal started off their season with a 5-0 win over Farmington. Matt Drake scored a pair of goals and Ken Beason, Matt Rutkowski and Ryan Bond added one apiece. MVPs on defense went to Alan Shanoski, Chris Hudson, Ross Abraham and Sean

U-12 BOYS

In its season-opener, the Arsenal beat Farmington 6-1. Michael Arnold and Jason Kimpel were the Arsenal's

U-14 BOYS

Gerard Breitenbeck scored the lone goal in the Hot Spurs 1-0 win over Novi.

U-9 GIRLS

Angela Guerro scored a goal for the Lightning, but it wasn't enough in a 3-1 loss to Livonia. Melissa Case and Maureen Gruley were named the Lightning's

The same story held true for the Lightning's next game. Jessica Boeger scored a goal, but the team fell to the Hot Spurs 4-1. Boeger and Caroline O'Brien were the MVPs.

U-12 GIRLS

The Rockers toppled Plymouth 3-0 as Emily DeBenedet scored a pair of goals and Rebecca Kurtz added another. Ashley deBear and Carolyn Moceri

The United topped Plymouth 2-1 on goals by Tessa Adkins and Brooke Ziomek. Katie Kneisel and Carmen

Gillespie were the MVPs.

Kim Bagian scored two goals and Erin Gruley added another in the Lightning's 3-0 shutout of South Lyon. Jane Kruszewski and Allie Spencer were the Lightnings MVPs.

U-14 GIRLS

The Express shut out the Stars 2-0 May 2. Rebecca Eley and Katle McBride scored for the Express and Heather Moehle and Emily Breitenbeck were their MVPs. Christine Van Horn, Carolyn Dowdell and Elena Larson were the MVPs for the Stars.

The Express nipped Livonia 2-1 behind goals by Alicia Brackel and Lindsey Keller. McBride and Jessica Stuber were the MVPs.

The Stars lost to Plymouth by a score of 5-2. Michelle Garda scored both goals for the Stars. Kristina Bagian and Kaitlin Hayes were the MVPs.

The United couldn't find a way to score in a 1-0 loss to South Lyon May 3. Stacey Swancutt and Anna Darga earned MVP honors.

U-16 GIRLS

The Arsenal fell to the Brighton Hawks 4-0 May 3 despite the MVP efforts of Denise Sylvester on offense and Genna Baidas on defense.

Editor's note: All coaches should report scores to their league commissioners no later than Sunday of each week. Only those scores reported to the commissioners on time can be printed in The Northville Record the following Thursday.

Commissioners should have the information to the Record no later that 5 p.m. Monday.

Girls break 3,200 relay record

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STANGS BREAK RECORD Three relay teams placed and one

set a new school record at the Clarkston Relays Saturday.

Delano, Kolarchick, Loeffler and McCrumb combined to break the school record in the 3,200 relay by over six seconds. Their time of 10:15

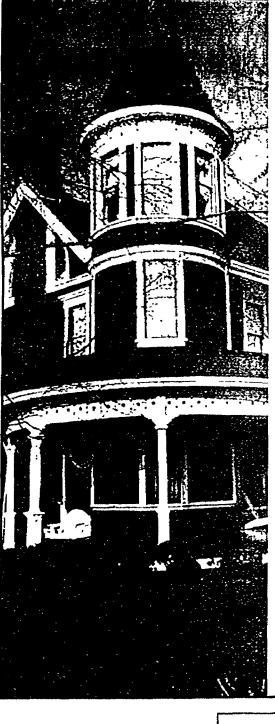
was spurred on by Delano's 2:28 split time to start the relay off. McCrumb, just a freshman, brought the baton in in a split time of 2:34.

"Hillary didn't run like a freshman and I didn't think twice about running her in the anchor slot." Cronin said. "We have asked these girls to run everything from 200-3,200 and

they have never complained. I am proud of all their efforts.

The 400 relay team of Selle, Winn. Erin Bahl and Rohlfs ran a seasonbest time of :52.4 to capture fourth

Sprader's time of 13:04 in the 3,200 run placed her fourth at the competition.



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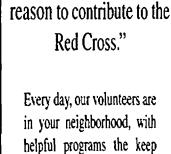


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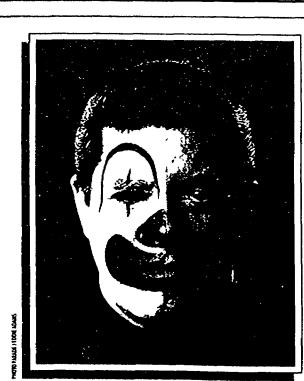
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Errors, hitting doom 'Stangs

By JASON SCHMITT Sports Editor

The errors continued to mount, and subsequently, the losses did too for the Northville softball team last week.

The 'Stangs lost consecutive games to Walled Lake Western and Central.

Against Western last Thursday, the bats went sour and the team committed four errors in an 11-0 loss. The game was called in the fifth inning.

"We really didn't hit the ball well, and defensively we made to many errors to win," coach Corey Lipson said.

Western scored four runs in the first, four more in the second inning and three more in the fourth to get the win.

Offensively, Jenny Caverly's triple to lead off the fourth inning was the only hit the team was able to muster up.

CENTRAL 15, N'VILLE 2 (6)

The Mustangs played the Vikings tough for the first four innings, but then eight errors in two innings changed the complexion of the game.

With the score 0-0 heading into the top of the fourth, Central broke loose to score two runs and take a slim 2-0 lead.

An inning later, four Northville errors led to seven Viking runs, which gave Central a commanding 9-0 lead.

Northville would try to get back into the game in the bottom of the fifth. Jaime Reichard reached base on an error and Kelly Deleonardis hit a RBI-triple to score Reichard and put Northville on the board. Caverly followed with a groundout which scored Deleonardis.

Central reacted with six more runs in the sixth inning, spurred on by four more Mustang errors.

"We were playing really well, but I think we forgot the game wasn't over yet," Lipson said. "We definitely lost our concentration."

Kelly Reichard, Caverly and Famiko Kawamura were all 1 for 3 and Deleonardis was 1 for 2 to lead Northville.

The Mustangs played Harrison Monday and Salem yesterday (after The Northville Records' deadline) and play Churchill tomorrow.

Spinazze selected to go to nationals

Northville senior gymnast Gina Spinazze was selected, along with two other Northville/Novi teammates, to represent Michigan at the Senior Nationals in Albany, NY May 22-23.

Novi's Kristen Levin and Stacey Williamson were also selected to the team, which is made up of just seven gymnasts from the entire state.

Gymnasts were chosen based on competitive scores throughout their senior season. Plymouth Salem's Pam Yockey will coach the team, which will compete on Friday in the hopes of qualifying for Saturday's finals.

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Health Column

Osteoporosis can affect anyone

What is Osteoporosis?

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The spine and the hip are common sites of fractures from osteo-

Spinal fractures can result in back pain, loss of height, and spinal deformities, while hip fractures lead to surgery and may cause a loss of independence for elderly persons.

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Post-menopausal women.

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Also, consuming at least 1,000 milligrams (mg) of calcium a day will provide them with the material their bodies need to build the peak bone mass attained during the first three decades of life.

menopausal and post-menopausal women should con-tinue the beatth. tinue the healthy habits described above, increase their calcium intake to 1,200-1,500 mg a day. and include 400-800 international units (IU) of Vitamin D in the diet.

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AEROBIC WEIGHT TRAINING

This consists of a one-hour workout with an emphasis on both cardiovascular fitness and muscle strengthening. It meets for seven weeks Mondays and Wednesdays from 5 to 6 p.m. There is a \$50 fee. Preregistration is required.

For more information or to register, call the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-TRACC, 39750 Grand River, at (248) 473-

BREAST CANCER

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi is hosting a support group for women with breast cancer.

The group meets the second Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. Anyone who has experienced breast disease is welcome. This is an informal discussion for participants to share resources and provide emotional support.

For more information contact Norma at (313) '462-3788 or Cheryl at (810) 363-3866.

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WALKING CLUBS

Botsford General Hospital sponsors two free valking clubs. Laurel Park Mall (Six Mile and Newburgh roads) beginning at 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Saturday, and 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Free blood pressure provided by Botsford for walkers on the fourth Monday of every month, 8-10 a.m. Livonia Mall (Seven Mile and

Middlebelt roads) beginning 7:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Saturday, and 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Free blood pressure checks provided by Botsford for walkers on the third Wednesday of every month from 8-10 a.m. For more informa-tion, call Botsford's Health Development Network at (248) 477-6100.

CANCER SUPPORT

"Focus on Living." a self-help group for cancer patients and their families, meets the first Wednesday of each month at St. Mary Hospi-

Co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society. "Focus on Living" is a self-help group that gives participants an opportunity to discuss their concerns, obtain answers and gain support from others who share the same experi-

The goal is to improve the quality of cancer patients' lives through this sharing of information and experiences. Registration is not necessary, and there is no charge to attend the

For more information, call (313) 655-2922 or toll free 1-800-494-1650.

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WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

Botsford physician Robert Boorstein, D.O., and Botsford Health Development Network Project Manager Mary Kors, R.N., B.S.N., discuss breast cancer and the latest news on treatment options. This monthly forum for women ages 40-60 presents issues and concerns dealing with mid-life changes.

The class meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. There is no charge. For more information, call (248) 477-610Ö

LAUREL PARK WALKING CLUB

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Botsford's Laurel Park is opened to walkers 8 a.m.-9 p.m., Monday-Saturday; 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday, Located on Six Mile Road in Livonia (the corner of Six Mile and Newburgh roads). For information, call (248) 477-6100.

HEALTH EDUCATION LIBRARY

Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is now making its health education library open

The library has books, video tapes, computer databases, pamphlets and anatomical models available to the public which can be used to learn about illnesses, medications, parenting skills or other health issues.

The library is located at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River, and is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to

Call (248) 380-4110 for more information.

MENOPAUSE SUPPORT GROUP

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi offers a free monthly support group for women who have concerns about menopause.

The group meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Providence Park Conference Center, 47601 Grand River Ave., at the corner of Grand River and Beck in Novi. The purpose of the support group is to provide women with educational information on topics relating to menopause.

For information, call (248) 424-3014.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park is offering free blood pressure checks Monday through Friday from 9 to 11 a.m.

Area residents are invited to visit Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River Ave., to obtain the service. Screening will take place in Providence's Emergency Care Center located within the center.

For more information call (248) 380-4225.

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Individuals with food allergies can receive counseling on food choices and substitutions from a Botsford Hospital professional. The fee

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PROSTATE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Offering knowledgeable speakers each month, this support group provides encouragement and education about prostate cancer, its treatment and the physical and emotional issues associated with it. It meets the third Monday of every month at 7 p.m. and it's free.

Sessions take place in Botsford's 2 East A Conference Room, 28050 Grand River Ave., in Farmington Hills. For more information, call (248) 477-6100.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT, GROUP

The group for caregivers meet the first Tuesday of every month at 7-8:30 p.m., Botsford Continuing Health Center, 21450 Archwood Circle, Farmington Hills. For information, call (248) 477-7400.

CAREGIVERS PROGRAM

'Caring for Dementia Patients," a free program for individuals caring for adults with Alzheimer's disease or closed-head injuries, cosponsored by Botsford's Geropsychiatric Services and the Detroit Area Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. Topics covered include overview of dementia, managing diffibehaviors and coping skills for caregivers. Held on Monday evenings, 6-7:30 p.m. Free. Botsford General Hospital's Conference Room 2-East B, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington

For information and registration, call (248) 471-8723.

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This is a 10-week comprehensive exercise program co-sponsored by Health Development Network and Botsford Cardiovascular Health Center. The program will help people with diabetes better control their blood sugar levels and improve their cardiovascular fitness. For information, call (248) 477-6100.

DIABETES AND YOU

This six-week class explores all areas of diabetes self-care. Preregistration and a fee are required. Some insurances cover class fee. Classes are held at Botsford General Hospital, Farmington Hills, and the Botsford Center for Health Improvement in Novi.

For more information and to register, call (248) 477-6100.

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This six-week class enhances flexibility, strengthens muscles, improves breathing and promotes relaxation. Day and evening classes are available, at a \$35-45 fee. For more information and to register, call the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-TRACC, Novi. (248) 473-5600.

FREE FOOT SCREENINGS

Free foot screenings are offered every Tuesday and Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Botsford General Hospital, Suite 200, South Professional Building, 28080 Grand River Ave. in Farmington Hills.

For more information or to make an appointment, call (248) 473-1320, weekdays 9 a.m.-5

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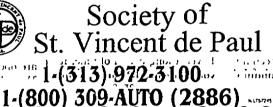
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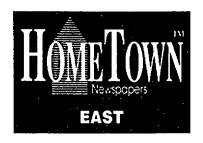
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Removing pet stains is complicated process

By Gene Gary Copley News Service

g. We have a new puppy, and during the period of housebreaking, our carpeting acquired several stains from wetting accidents. What is the best method of removing these stains?

A. Any type of carpet staining is best treated when the stains are fresh and have not set. However, even older stains can often be treated. The product described in the preceding question, Nature's Miracle, is a good stain removal liquid that can penetrate deep down into the carpet, pad and floor to neutralize the urine and destroy the odor-causing material.

After treatment, if traces of discoloration remain on your carpeting. I would recommend the use of "Resolve" carpet cleaner.

It's excellent for this type of residual stain

removal. If you still have pets around during the treatment with Nature's Miracle, it's best to cover the area with heavy aluminum foil (perforated with holes for ventilation). When the urine odor is still present, pets are attracted to the area and are inclined to repeat the offense. Placing a dish of food on the foil is an added deterrent, as pets rarely contaminate an area where food is present.

Q. We had tenants who left two cats in our apartment over long periods of time. They were not housebroken, and now the smell of cat urine penetrates the entire room where they were confined. I had the carpet profes-sionally cleaned, but the odor still remains. Do you have any suggestions on how to get rid of this offensive odor. I cannot rent this unit until the problem is solved.

A. Since the soiling of the carpet is extensive and accumulated over a long period of time, it is doubtful that you can save the carpet. Your best bet will be to remove the carpet and carpet padding. Even after the floor-covering removal, you can have lingering odors from pet urine. Air out the unit for a week or more. If the offensive smell remains, it's likely that the

subflooring will require additional treatment.

There is a product on the market that is effective in the treatment of organic odors and stains. "Nature's Miracle" is a liquid odor and stain remover manufactured by Pets & People Inc. (5312 Ironwood St., Rancho Palos Verdes. CA 90274), which contains enzymes that neutralize the odor-causing material. It's available at most pet stores and comes in pints, quarts or gallon containers.

For effective treatment, the liquid needs to penetrate the infected surface. If you have hardwood flooring, you will need to strip off the old finish and apply this solution to the bare wood to neutralize the disagreeable materials that have penetrated the wood. After treatment, you will need to refinish the floors (unless they will be recovered with carpeting) by sanding and applying a new varnish or

polyurethane finish. You may find that the wood is stained permanently, darkened in areas where the urine penetrated. A commercial wood bleach used prior to refinishing can be helpful in diminishing this staining. Be sure and follow manufacturer's directions carefully. If the subflooring is concrete instead of wood, the problem is a little more difficult because of the porous nature of

Saturate the entire area with Nature's Miracle. It sometimes takes up to a week to achieve results. Even through the surface may appear to be dry, it will take longer for the moisture level inside the concrete to dissipate, and odors can remain during this period. It may even take more than one application to correct the problem. Once the treatment has removed the offensive odor, seal the concrete with a good masonry sealer prior to the installation of new padding and carpeting.

Q. Our basement was flooded by rainwater due to a faulty drainage system. This problem has now been corrected, but the flooding caused the asphalt tile to become cracked and loose. Is there any material which can be put over this damaged flooring to seal the tile down? Or is there anything that could be used to fill in squares where tile sections have come up? I haven't been able to find a tile of the same thickness and measurement. I would like to be able to repair the surface at least enough so that I can install something like indoor/outdoor carpeting over the damaged tile.

A. You will only be asking for further troubles if you try makeshift repairs on this flooring. Have the existing tile removed and start over. Be sure that the concrete is thoroughly dry prior to installing new flooring. Use a floor covering recommended for below-grade instal-

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Above, the house at 965 West Wind Shore Drive, on Thompson Lake in Howell, sells for \$295,000.

Photo by BUDDY MOOREHOUSE

By Buddy Moorehouse

It's the annual chance for Livingston County's home builders to show off - the 1998 Cavalcade of Homes.

Put on by the Home Builders Association of Livingston County, the Cavalcade of Homes gives area residents the chance to check out 21 new houses scattered around the county.

If you're looking for a home, or looking for a builder, it's a great chance to do all your shopping in one weekend.

This year's Cavalcade runs from May 14-24. The homes are open during those dates on Thursday, Friday and Saturday from noon to 8 p.m., and Sunday from noon to 6 p.m.

Tickets for the event are \$6 for adults, with children under 16 admitted free. Tickets are available at any home on the tour, or at the Home Builders office in Brighton, 132 E. Grand River Ave. For information, call (810) 227-6210.

Seventh Annual

Cavalcade of Homes

Home Builders Association of Livingston County has lined up 21 new homes for this year's tour

The ticket price includes a map and guidebook of the homes, featuring floor plans of all the homes.

If you'd like a map of the homes faxed to you, call (248) 932-3644.---

The homes on the tour vary from 1,600 to 3,500 square feet, ranging in price from \$175,000 to \$350,000.

The homes vary in style and design, and can be found in subdivisions and on individual lots and acreage. Many of the homes will be furnished and landscaped.

This year's Cavalcade of

Homes will also feature a first - a contest. A panel of judges will look at each house on the tour and award prizes in the

following categories: Best Kitchen Design.

Best Master Suite.

 Best Overall Design. The judging will take place on the first weekend of the tour. The winning homes will then be honored on the second

weekend with a plaque. The public will also have a chance to vote for their favorite house among the 21. The winning home will receive the People's Choice Award, and one lucky voter will receive a \$1,000 shopping spree in a drawing.

Contest entry forms will be available at each house in the Han Cavalcade ...

• Best Exterior Appearance. Pill This year's Cavalcade of Homes is the seventh-annual. and 18 area builders are participating. Major sponsors of the event include Standard Federal Bank, Detroit Edison, KSI Kitchen Suppliers Inc., HomeTown Newspapers, the Insider Business Journal and the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

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Luxury home buyers head to open spaces

By James M. Woodard Copley News Service

Home-buying trends in America say a lot about lifestyle changes desired by increasing numbers of consumers.

in recent months and years, people have been more willing to shake loose the shackles of big-city life for space and natural beauty. They will make sacrifices and pay big bucks for a home in what they consider to be a better environment one that will enhance their desired lifestyle.

That targeted lifestyle often means living close to facilities that relate to their favorite activity, like skiing, horseback riding or golf.

For example, a surprisingly large number of luxury home buyers have migrated to Montana, attracted by the state's openness, natural beauty and affordable properties. Ranch estates have been particularly popular investments in Big Sky country.

One Montana property now on the market is the 700-acre T&B Whitetail Ranch, priced at \$4.9 million. By contrast, a similar-sized spread in Sun Valley, Idaho, or Jackson Hole, Wyo., would easily run between \$15 million and \$20 million, according to Mark Norem, owner of Mark Norem Real Estate in Big Timber. Mont.

*Five or six years ago, we didn't have a very great inventory of luxury homes in Montana like we do now." Norem said. "We weren't discovered yet. We're still a very young real estate market out here."

The comparatively low prices in Montana is partially due to overdevelopment that took place throughout the Rockies in recent years, he

move to the state are typically outdoors people looking for a quieter lifestyle in a less densely populated setting. Montana delivers on that promise.

A particularly popular getaway location in ski country is Telluride, Colo. One currently offered residential development in that area - Mountain Chateaux - is the nation's first assembly of co-owned \$1 million log homes.

*Simply, I wanted to do the co-ownership method different and better than my wife and I had experienced at other mountain resorts," said Chris Clark, president of the development firm. We wanted a large home with privacy and all the creature comforts.

The Mountain Chateaux ownership concept is structured much like most other real estate transactions, with each owner receiving a warranty deed and key. Because of the limited number of owners, both fixed and flexible vacation weeks are included with ownership. Individual buyers of these condo-type vacation residences pay about \$200,000 for their 2,000-square-foot of living space.

For those who have a special love for golf, a special 650-acre development is under way in Florida that's probably one of the most ambitious projects in the history of golf. Set to open this spring. World Golf Village combines many elements of entertainment and education in one resort, according to a spokesman for the develop-

ment. The centerpiece of World Golf Village is a 75,000square-foot Hall of Fame. including more than 70 exhibits. Other amenities include a 300-seat IMAX the-

Luxury home buyers who ater, shops, galleries, a 300room hotel and convention center. It also includes many residences, corporate villas, a retirement community, spa. Mayo Clinic facility and three 18-hole championship golf courses.

There seems to be no limit to what lengths development planners will go to provide the type of residence or commercial facility that attracts and motivates today's busy and often affluent consumers

Q. In what cities are home

prices rising most rapidly? A. San Francisco is one candidate for that honor. Home prices in that City on the Bay will rise by 9.5 percent this year, it was projected by Case Shiller Weiss Inc. Projections point to a rise in home prices of 7.4 percent in the Los Angeles area, where the median home price is expected to rise above

\$181,000 this midsummer. Detroit, a city that has been lagging behind other major cities in home sales and price increases, is now projected to show price increases of 7.4 percent this year, the firm predicts. In Boston, prices are projected to rise 5 percent to a median of \$166,800 this year.

In New York City, the forecast is for a 4.6 percent rise in home

Generally, home prices are rising faster than historic norms. Traditionally, home prices increase at the rate of inflation, plus 1 to 2 percentage points. But currently, prices are rising at more accelerated rates.

Questions may be used in future columns; personal responses should not be expected. Send inquiries to James M. Woodard, Copley News Service. P.O. Box 190. San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

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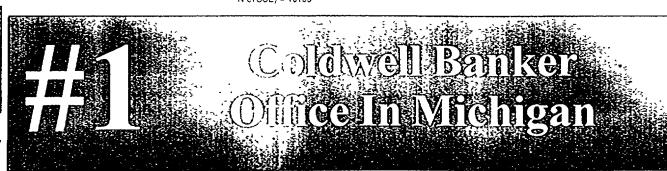
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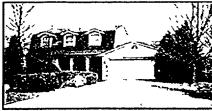
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Majolica jardiniere is a mystery

ANTIQUES

By Anne McCollam Copley News Service

Q. This is a photograph of a Victorian majolica jardiniere that has been in our family for years. It is 10 inches high and 11 inches in diameter. The background is brown and decorated with multicolored flowers with raspberry-pink centers and trimmed in caramel.

We can trace its origin to England. The mark on the bottom is not clear. All that can be seen are the letters "Alham ... an" within double oval lines.

I hope you can provide some information.

A: A similar majolica jardiniere is listed in Warman's English and Continental Pottery and Porcelain" by Susan and Al Bagade at \$240. Although the mark you described is similar to several that were used in England, I haven't found a listing for

Q: This mark is on the bottom of a porcelain jug that I have. The jug stands 14 inches high and has a porcelain lid with a pewter



about \$275 to \$375.

thumb rest. It is decorated with delicate pink flowers against white back-

frame and

ground. The handle is trimmed in gold, and there is an applied flower on the lid. It is in excellent condition.

Where was it made and who made it, and what is its value?

A: Fischer & Mieg. Bohemia, made your jug in the late 1800s. They were in business from 1857 to 1918. Its value would probably be

Q: What can you tell me about my Toni doll? She is in the original box. A smaller box, marked with the words "Play Wave" contains shampoo and perm products. The doll is dressed in a white blouse and plaid jumper. Her hair is dark-brown nylon. She

was made by Ideal in the 1950s. A: In the 1950s, permanent waving-became simple enough that .. women could give themselves perms

in their home. Toni, a leading manufacturer of perms, introduced Toni dolls. They promoted the dolls as having hair that could be curled "just like Mommy's." The "play wave" solution actually was sugar and water. Toni was available in a variety of outfits and hair colors.

Your doll, mint condition in the box, would probably be worth about \$450.

9: I am interested in finding out more about the background and value of an oil lamp that belonged to my husband's mother. It is 20 inches high and is marked "B&H." The glass shade is decorated with a female child in a pastoral scene. On the top she is tending sheep, and on the bottom she is feeding ducks.

A: Bradley & Hubbard Manufacturing Co., located in Meriden. Conn., made your lamp in the 1890s. They produced objects for the home that included andirons. plaques, bookends, desk sets. teapots and lamps.

Your lamp would probably be worth about \$800 to \$1,200.

Q: In 1936. I was given a castiron model of the Graf Zeppelin with the original box. It is silver and has a six-pointed star on it. My parents purchased it at Bloomingdale's on Lexington Avenue in New York City, and it is in very good condition.

Any information on my zeppelin you can provide would be greatly appreciated.

A: Graf Zeppelins were popular toys in the 1930s. Several companies produced them. The value of yours would probably be about \$225 to \$250.

Q. I have had an "Amos and Andy" wind-up tin toy car for more than 50 years. It is in good condition and still shakes forward and backward. The cab is orange and has an open top.

On the back are the words Louis Marx & Co., New York, USA." and "Fresh Air Taxicab -Amos 'N' Andy - Copyright - Correll and Gosden." Below that are the words "License Applied For Time After Time."

_I_would_appreciate_your_opin-_ ion on its value.



The history of this majolica jardiniere is unclear, but a similar piece is valued at \$240.

A. Toy designer and marketing whiz Louis Marx established his toy company in 1920 and sold it in the 1970s. Under his leadership, it became one of the most successful toy companies on record. Marx toys were made in other countries as well as the United States. His tin lithograph wind-up toys continue to be sought after today.

Charles Correll and Freeman Gosden were the actors who portrayed "Amos 'N' Andy" on the radio.

*Schroeder's Collectible Toys Antique to Modern Price Guide -1997 lists a circa 1930 Amos 'N' Andy taxi in excellent condition at \$800. They also list one in nearmint condition and with the original box at \$1.700.

BOOK REVIEW

Official Guide to Artifacts of Ancient Civilizations" by Alex G. Malloy-is published-by House of Collectibles. If you ever wanted to

know how and where to buy antiquities, look no further. Malloy, a dealer in ancient and medieval art, has compiled more than 2.000 objects, many under

The diversity of available and affordable material is almost endless," says Malloy.

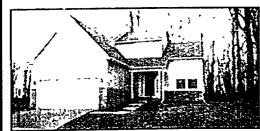
He describes in detail and also prices artifacts from earliest man to - the-fail-of-Rome - Expertly discussed are rare items, the tricks of

the trade and how to start a collec-; tion. Time charts and clear line drawings, illustrations and a glos-, sary make identifying antiquities!

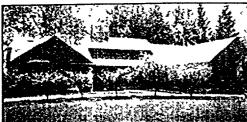
Address your questions to Anne McCollam, P.O. Box 490. Notre Dame, IN 46556. For a personal response, include picture(s), a detailed description, a stamped, -self-addressed-envelope and S5.3 per item (one item at a time).



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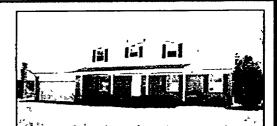
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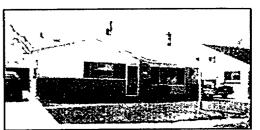
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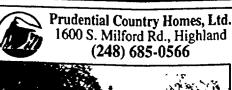
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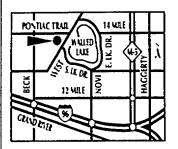


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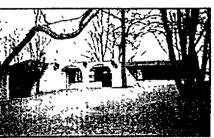
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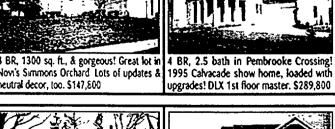
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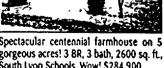
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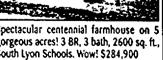




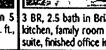


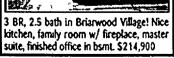














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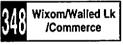
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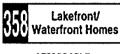
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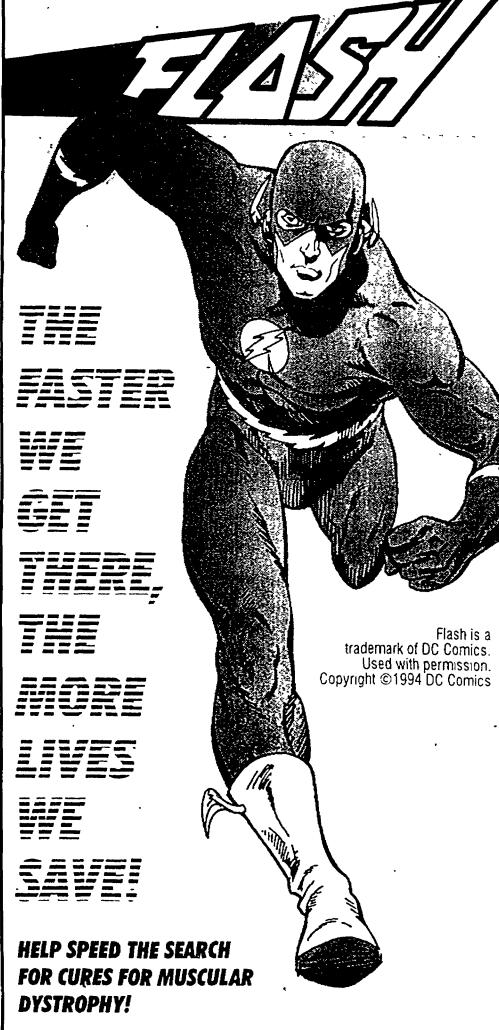
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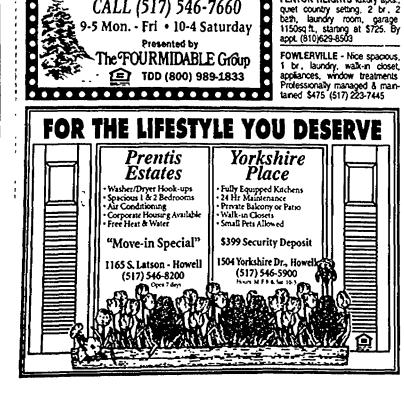
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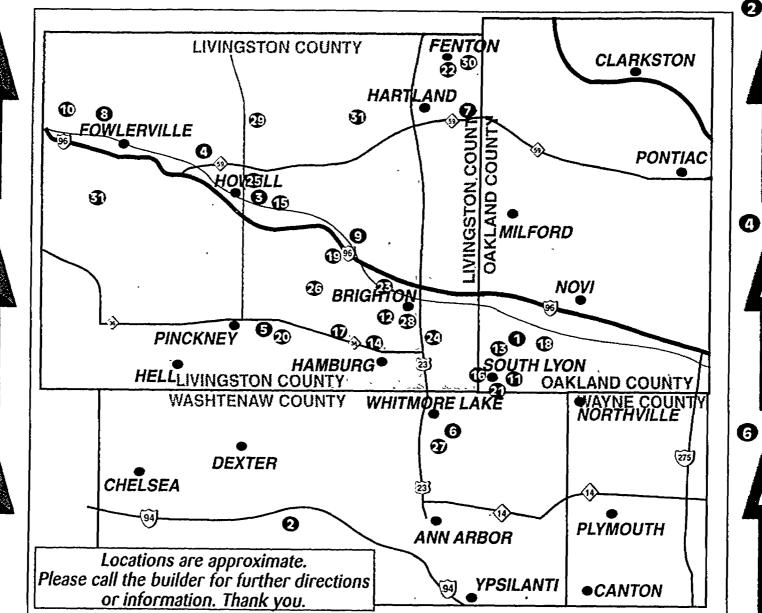
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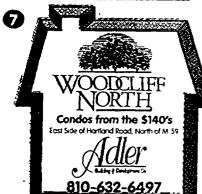
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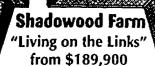
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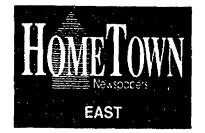
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McDonald Ford prides itself on customer service

By JASON SCHMITT

Being a company which has long prided itself on great customer service for over a quarter century, it should come as no surprise that McDonald Ford was awarded Ford Motor Company's highest award for overall customer service in

The dealership, located at 550 W. Seven Mile between Northville and Sheldon roads in Northville, was awarded the 1997 North American Customer Excellence Award, the single-highest honor Ford Motor Company hands out.

To receive the award, dealerships must meet two criteria set by Ford. The first is customer service satisfaction. This is gauged by Ford Motor Company through surveys given to customers throughout the year. The second is achieving sales goals.

McDonald was rated No. 1 out of 929 dealers in their division. Only two other Ford dealerships throughout Metro Detroit were awarded this honor.

We won the award competing against 929 other dealers, and its quite a prestigious award to win, Ron Bleckmann, co-partner of McDonald Ford along with Joe McDonald said. Because it really reflects our commitment to satisfy our customers.

This was the first time McDonald Ford has received this award.

McDonald has also earned Ford's Distinguished Dealer Award in 27 of its 31 years in business. The new award was based on similar criteria.

"It's a whole dealership effort," Bleckmann said. "We're graded on our service department and our body shop. We're graded on how our cars are delivered and how our sales people treat customers. They even grade us (on) when a customer calls how fast they receive answers from our operators.

*From beginning with the sale through the whole ownership

experience," McDonald general manger Dave Rekuc said, explaining the basis for the award. The overall experience, was it a positive

Every person that buys a car is given a survey after 30 days, nine months and 24 months. Whether or not they answer the surveys is up to them.

'It's random in a way that a lot of customers don't answer." McDonald said. "Sometimes that makes it unfair because many of the people that answer are the ones that are unhappy."

But regardless of who answers the surveys, McDonald Ford has scored high enough in its surveys to finish as the highest rated dealership in their class.

McDonald sells both new and used cars and has a complete parts and service and body shop. It is also one of the largest independent rent-a-car companies in the country. An exclusive preferred customer plan has also been one of the dealerships better selling

"It's a booklet of coupons that is designed for when a customer purchases a car from us," Bleckmann

"it's really an organized booklet, whereas everyone else does it verbally," McDonald said. "It's put in writing so it's not forgotten."

Rekuc said another thing about McDonald Ford that has made customer satisfaction easy is their low employee turnover.

Our employees have been with us for a significant amount of time." Rekuc said. "We've had mechanics that have been with Mr. McDonald for the whole 30 years."

McDonald is currently renting a vacant building adjacent to the main showroom on Northville Road which will be home to McDonald Ford's Used Car/Truck Center as well as a car prep center.

For more information about McDonald Ford, please call (248) 349-1400 or (734) 427-6650.



Photo by JASON SCHMITT

Ron Bleckmann, left, and Joe McDonald, co-partners at McDonald Ford, hold a banner showing their customer excellence award.

Impulsive buying indicates financial trouble

Are you an "impulsive shopper?" Do you see something in the store and buy it on the spur of the moment? Or ... is it on sale and therefore a wanted item?

Most of us have a little impulsive characteristic in us but those who succeed in good money management practices are those who can control these urges. Obviously, if an income is sufficient, impulse shopping now and then won't hurt, according to Carol Kurth. education coordinator for the nonprofit, family financial counseling agency, Credit Counseling Centers

Impulsive buying is one of the ten indicators of personal financial trouble discussed in CCC's money management classes. And many individuals and families are in debt because of this behavior. Considering 1.3 million personal bankruptcy filings in 1997, and a total consumer installment debt of about \$1.2 trillion in December 1997 (excluding first mortgages, other loans securing by real estate. and auto leases), obviously money is owed to many creditors.

Individuals should take a look to see if impulsive buying has something to do with this. Savings rates are down to 3.8 percent, the lowest

Stop to consider what you'll be giving up if you spend your money on this desirable item. Sale items are not always your best buy, but they are the reason given most often for impulsive snopping.

in 58 years and funds, in many cases, are not available to pay household bills. And when funds are limited or are needed for other family payments, impulse buying can become a dangerous habit.

Parents, please note that teenagers are great impulsive shoppers who tend to purchase as their friends do and usually have fewer funds than adults to fall back on. This practice may carry over and cause problems later on in life. We know from several research studies that teens poured over \$100 billion into the economy

last year. Of course, to stay out of trouble, you need to have a pretty good picture of your income and monthly expenditures as well as a good spending plan. Only then can you mentally decide if this impulse purchase can be handled, either

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with cash or credit.

There are many ways to curb this practice, according to Kurth. You can think through the "decision making steps" before making a final decision. Stop to consider what you'll be giving up if you spend your money on this desirable item. Sale items are not always your best buy, but they are the reason given most often for

impulsive shopping. Plan first then purchase, as many problems arise when something is bought without sufficient thought as to how the bill will be paid. Using cash instead of credit may help you evaluate its use in terms of what other purchases will

be given up. Credit Counseling Centers suggests the 24-hour rule. that is, sleep on the decision or look one day and buy on another. The bigger the purchase, the more nights you should sleep on it. Stop and think of what you'll be giving

Some good money managers estimate how many hours of work is required to pay for an item or what the extra cost of credit is to determine its value to them. Many families with very limited extra funds are experts in developing a desire for experiences, rather than things, and seek activities and diversions which do not cost

Because of various store policies, you should not take off the tags on clothing until you wear them or off other items until you use them. If clothing is not worn within two weeks after your purchase, it was probably an impulse purchase - take it back to the store. Keep your sales receipts so

your return is easily accomplished. Here are some other tips that might help, according to Credit Counseling Centers:

 Keep most of your money in checking or savings accounts. Not only is it safer than carrying cash. the process of writing a check or withdrawing money also may make you think twice before purchasing.

• Go on fewer shopping trips and don't take credit or charge cards with you.

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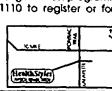
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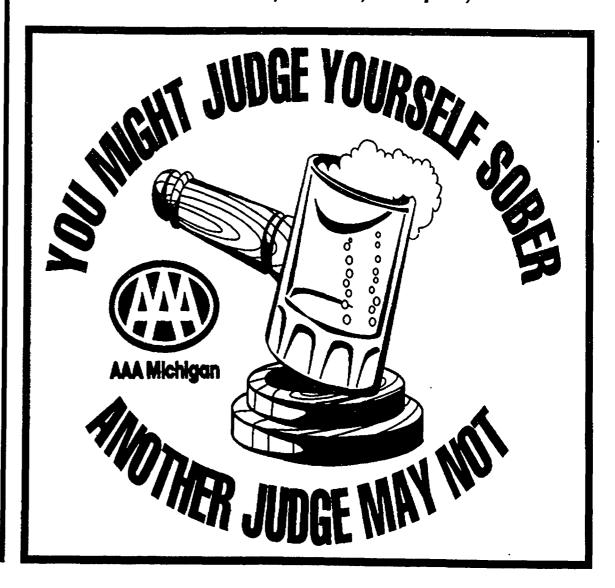
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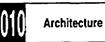
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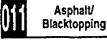
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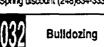


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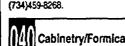
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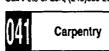


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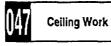


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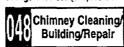
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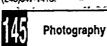
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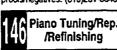
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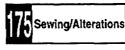
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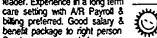
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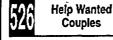
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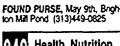
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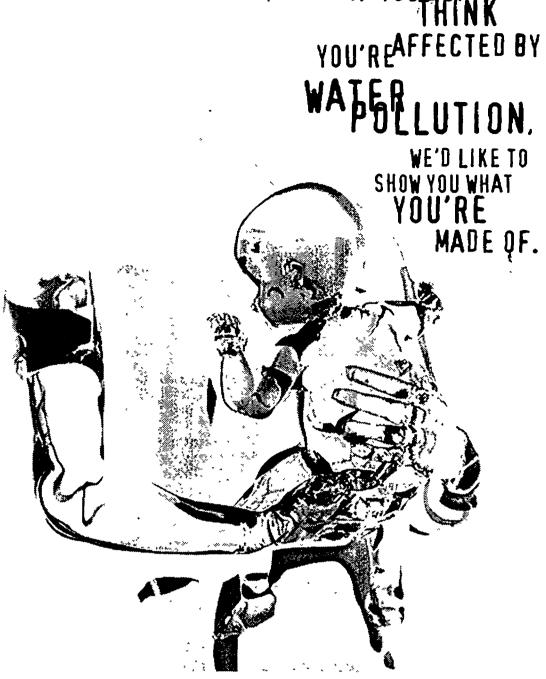
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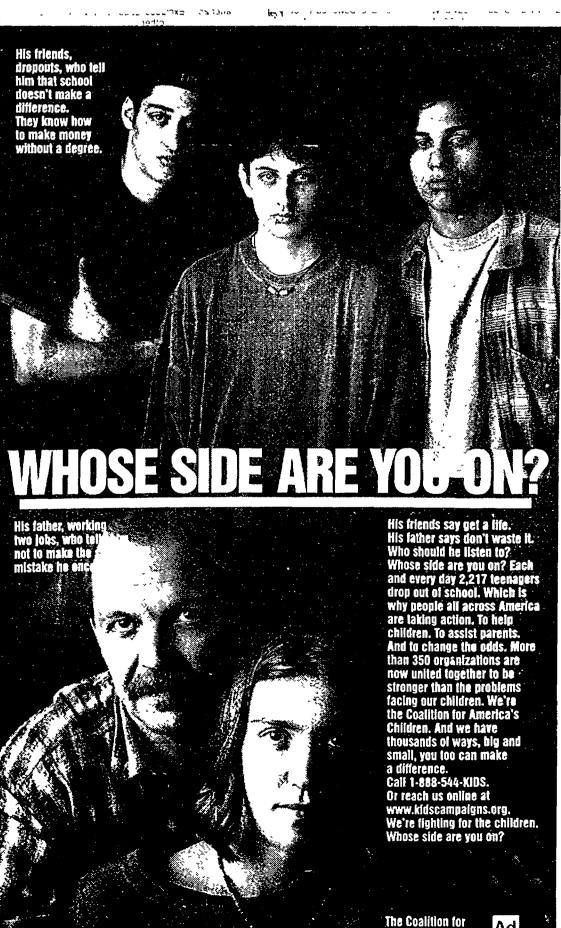
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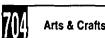
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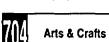
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11:30 a.m.

1931 Chevrolet Coupe,

1931 Chevrolet Coupe, 6 wheeler, rumple seat, excellent condition.
1948 Ford Panel Truck, Chev. engine & transmission, street rod, excellent condition.
1952 Chevrolet Coupe, chopped top, late model suspension & give train Peady to

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1966 Chevrolet Biscayne 2-Door, 63,600 miles, V-8, auto. Sharp!
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1973 Ford Wrecker Cable Boom, runs

Cable Boom, runs good. 1950 Fordallic, Cadillac engine & transmission, project car. 1948 Ford Pickup, 289 engine, auto trans., project car. 1938 Chevrolet 2-Door Sedan, Project (Good Engine) 1950 Chevrolet Pickup, 5 Window cab, project.

Ford Flathead 85hp, 21 stud, 32-37; 2-59 AB 24 Stud Bolt - 40-48-360 V-

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14111 North Territorial Rd, Chelsea, M

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NOVI - Estate Sale, Fri-Sat., 8-5 24616 Simmons Misc. furniture

> Garage Sales Oakland

FARMINGTON HILLS -Semi Anual Subwide Ga-rage Sale! N. of 13 Mile, between Haggerty & Hat-ted Experience Bidge! sted. Farmington Ridge/

Glens Sub., May 15 & 16, 9.30am-3pm. Many homes participating.
Some sales Saturday
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NORTHVILLE - Beacon Woods Sub Sale. Fri/Sat 9-5. 8 Mile E. of Beck. 9-5. 8 Mile E. of Beck. Furniture, antiques, quilts, fabric, linens, clothing, baby items, toys, large/small appli-ances, CD-stereo-comput-er equipment, tools, R/C auplanes, Bikes, books, etc.

NOVI - Turtle Creek Sub Annual Garage Sale, 9 Mile & Meadowbrook, May 15, 16. Lots of misc.

NOVI: SIMMONS Or chard Sub Sale. May 16, 8am 5pm. Off 10 Mile, between Taft & Beck.

Garage Sales Wayne

PLYMOUTH - 5243 Got-

fredson, S. of M-14, N. of Ann Arbor Rd. Thurs. 9-5. Baby items, Garage Sales/ **Moving Sales**

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BRIGHTON Big 2 family sale. Infant to retirees. Sale. Infant to Fettees, Something for everyone. Perennial plants, furni-ture, water bed, propane water heaters, etc. May 15-16, 9-4pm. 6096 Ap-pleton, take Bauer to Cunningham to Appleton.

BRIGHTON - garage sale May 14, 15, 16, 8-5pm. Deer Creek Sub., off Old US 23 between Hilton & ran Church annual rummage sale May 14, 9-4 765 N. Hickory Ridge Rd , 15 mile N of Hyne at 2696 Hartun. Patio set, bar stools, clothes, kitchen items, mi-

crowave & misc. BRIGHTON - Multi Fami ly Moving/Garage Sale. May 15-16, 9am-4pm. Furniture, bikes, tractor. camping equip, baby items, toys, Little Tykes, babu baby clothes & more. 4405 & 4419 Elderberry Dr., N. off Spencer, just

W. of Pleasant Valley.

BRIGHTON - Spring Cleaning Sale! Multi-family. Television, cos-metic items, boys clothes (%), toys, craft supplies, furniture, misc. May 14, 15, 16, 2820 & 2828 Monte Vista.

BRIGHTON -Toddler Twins Sale. 18 mo. 3 yr. boys & girls clothes, toys. bedding, twin bed frame, bedding, twin bed frame, 4 plece adult br. set, much more. Sat. 5-16, 8am-1pm. 6650 Challis Rd. (W. of Mt. Brighton).

BRIGHTON GARAGE NORTHVILLE, 42353 Amboy Ct. Sale. 6368 Sudney, Sax-Furnture, china, collectibles May only Sub. Fri. & Sat. May 15 & 16. 9 5pm.

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US-231 BRIGHTON MOVING -Lots of toys, collectibles. May 14-15-16, 9:30am 6963 Rink (across from Rollerama).

BRIGHTON MULT-FAMI-LY garage sale. Lots of furniture & misc. items. May 15 & 16, 9-5, 6352 Beth near Lee Rd.

BRIGHTON TWP. 0-5 Bam-5:30. 2462 Audrey Lane: Kensington Rd. & Pleasant Valley area.

BRIGHTON TWP. 3076 Old Orchard. W. of Pleas ant Valley, n. of Jacoby. Fri-Sat. 9-4. Golf & exerequipment! Dishes. books, collectibles, misc. BRIGHTON TWSP. Big

Subdivision garage May 15 & 16. 9.2pm. Meadowood Sub. (Spencer & Van Amberg) BRIGHTON. KNOLL

Sun., May 16th & 17th BRIGHTON, GIFT basket from 9-4pm. off Hamburg business clearance and Rd. between Bauer & Winans Lk. BRIGHTON. THURS.

baby, most like new. 7964 Deborah Dr., off BRIGHTON. Grand River by GFS

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BRIGHTON. 2 family. Lots of nice clothing: mens, women, children & BRIGHTON, MAY 14 & double stroller. stools, lamps, antique rocker and dresser. and many misc. 8472 ture & much more. 909 & Maltby, west of Rickett. 941 Alpine Ct., Fairway Thurs., 9am to 3pm. Trails Sub.

Oakridge Dr. Furniture, CD players, toys, books. humidifier, clothes, todmore. May 14-16, 9am-5pm. No early birds.

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BRIGHTON. 25+ families in Brandywine Farms Sub. (½ mile N. of I-96, off Sub. 14 mile N. of 1-96, off of pre-schoolers. May 14 Pleasant Valley Rd). Sat. & 15. 9-5pm. Annual May 16 only, 9-4. An-Barble, fants, bikes. darkroom & ture, grills. NordicTracks, (near Hilton Elementary) fridge, skates, trampo Homestead on Hilton

BRIGHTON. 3 family gasale. Sale. May 16. 8am-rage sale. May 14. 15 & 5pm. 1935 plano, some 16. 8am-? 2171 Hunter furniture, books, clothes, rd. (between Hilton & misc. 590 Oak Ridge Dr. off Dobbett Dd. Hyne).

St., 4 family garage sale, May 14. 15 & 16, 8am-BRIGHTON.

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4pm. Burley bike trailer, Furniture, clothes, furniture. household, clothes. 8560 Bishop Rd. GARAGE BRIGHTON.

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Kids & adult clothes, rage sale. Lots of misc. toys, play kitchen, doll house, & more. Some Walsh Dr., off US-23.

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15. 8-5. 11328 Hidden ture, adult clothing, kitch-Oaks (off Corlett). Hyne between Old 23 & Pleas-Valley. 5 families. dier bed, aquarium, much Something for everybody. BRIGHTON, MAY 13 thru 27: 8am-6pm. 2025

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diving equipment, an-tiques, 11603 Burgoyne.

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MOVING FOWLERVILLE. 7875 HOWELL-Lots of odds & HOWELL. MAY 15, 16. NORTHVILLE. BRIGHTON. ale. Sat. 9am-3pm. 9049 Allen Rd. May 15-16, Rwerside Dr. 9-5pm. Roll away bed. Rwerside Dr. clothes, household BRIGHTON. MULIFAMI-

misc.

LY. Goldwin Dr. garage sales Sat. May 16, 8-3. FOWIERVILLE. Allen Rd. Huge Off Maltby, W. of Rickett. Barn Sale! Antiques, col-lectibles, Dep. class, furlectibles, Dep. class, fur Furniture, toys, clothes, niture & more! Thurs, Fri. linens. Something for BRIGHTON. MULTIFAM-May 14-16, 8am-4pm. Rain or Shine.

GENOA TWP. 2900 Fishbeck Rd., off Crooked Lake Rd., May 16, 10-5. Baby items & other misc. BRIGHTON. MULTIPLE

family garage sale. Maternity & plus size cloth-GREEN OAK Twp. Mystic View Sub. Off Marshall between Silver Lake Rd. of baby items, much between Silver Lake Ka-more. Sat. & Sun., May & 9 Mile. May 14-16. 16 & 17. 8am-5pm. 61 W. 8:30am-4:30pm. Baby & childrens items, furniture. childrens items, furniture, household, toys, etc. Peterson (Bitten Lake) off

GREEN OAK Tup. Sub RRIGHTON NEIGHBOR. garage sale. Bingham Es-HOOD garage sale. May 15, 9am-3pm, May 16 tates, off Silver Lake Rd. W. of Kent Lake Rd., E. of Kensington Rd. May 15 & Funiture. home accessories, toys, 16, 9-3. clothing, mens & wom-en's golf clubs, baby bed.

10669 Heenan, US 23 to 9 Mile Rd., off East Shore. GREEN OAK, ANTIQUES

HAMBURG - 9604 Palmer. Fri.-Sat. 9am-3pm. No early birds! Clothing.

BRIGHTON. THE garage HAMBURG - Garage Sale. Sat., May 16, 9-6. 9351 Shannon Dr.

> Subdivision sale! Sat. River Highlands)

riety. Huron River High-land Sub., off of M-36. 9305 Huron Rapids. Friday. May 15, 9-5.

Estates sub-wide sales Hamburg Rd. between Cowell & Bauer. May 14.

Ln. Sub. Garage sale. May 15, 16 & 17, 9-4pm. (off Strawberry Lk. Rd., 3 miles W. of Merrill), baby equipment & clothes. toys, avon, furniture, propane water heater &

cust Lane, off Strawberry Lake Rd. May 16, Sat. 9am to 4pm. Double stroller, baby equipment, dorm loft, furni-2 girls 10 speed bikes, large tent, women and childrens clothes, toys. All in excellent condition.

HAMBURG. BERRY Lake Rd. to Indi-anola to 5224 Lisch. Builder retiring. All kinds of tools/equipment flarge & small plus boats, garden tools, etc. Sat./Sun., Simplified our lives. 2 families & grandma's 5-16 & 5-17, 9-4pm

> pitcher pitcher hand pump, scythe, galvanized bed pan, potty chair & pail, misc. Queen bed frame, 2 swivel bar chairs, 14 wood ladder, National Geographic magazines, 9'x11' rug, electric & nlumbing misc. items, 5' church pew, lead from boy's & girl's clothes. grinding wheels, misc. May 15-16. 8:30am-6pm. 11396 Norway. 1 mile e.

HARTLAND 100 + families. No clothes, tons of good household & antiques. May 14-16, 9-5. 2697 Bullard Rd., off M-59. To good to miss!!

HARTLAND. 3 family garage sale. May 14 & 15, 9 5. S. Hacker Rd., Shad-Sub. Follow signs.

Subwide sale. 30 plus homes. Fri., Sat., May 15, 16, 9um to 2pm.

HIGHLAND - huge yard sale. May 14, 9-6pm, 4354 Lancashire, off M-59, E. of Tipsico Lk Rd.

Highland Subwide Ga-rage Sale. May 14, 15 & 16. 9am-5pm. W. of Mil-ford Rd., S. of Clyde Rd.

HIGHLAND. ANTIQUE and moving sale. I day only, May 16, 9-4, 3580 Burwood Lane. 14 miles N. of M-59 and Hickory Ridge Rd.

HIGHLAND. sale. Axford Acres- 3610 Kingsway, off Harvey Lake Rd. Thurs-Sat. 9.5pm

HOLLY. 15325 Mackey Rd., off Grange Hall, ext 101 off I-75. May 14, 15 HOWELL. HOUSEHOLD, & 16, 9.5.

HOWELL · 3 Family garage sale. Patio furniture, clothing, bedding, dishes, boys clothes 0-4 yrs. Sat. only, May 16, 9-3pm. Eager Rd. to Gentry Rd. to Timber Ridge Trail. Follow signs.

HOWELL - 6104 Brophy. Fri.-Sat. 10-4. Clothes, tires, jewerly, misc.

HOWELL - Garage sale Girls loys, gas go cart, refrigerator, 1000's of new nuts & bolts, tools, Ratn or Shine, 9-6. Furni-TV's, portable radios & ture, misc. household/ misc. 2178 E. Allen Rd., garage items, something between Oak Grove & for ex Latson, May 16 & 17, 9-5 Barron.

ends. 21 In. round an 9-5pm. 636 W. Schafer. tique stand. May 16, 17. Redwood patio set, base-9am-5pm 110 Foxfire, off ball cards. Hoosier cabi-W. Mason Rd. net. Beanie Bables, dune bug-gy w/trailer, 250 Yama-ha, 1992 Ford ext. cab

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9175 HOWELL - May 16-17. Oakcrest blk. W. of Eager off M-59. Furniture, toys, clothes, everyone.

> HOWELL - Multifamily. Furniture, children's clothing & household. Saturday. May 16, 9-5. 522 W. Brooks.

May 15 only, 9-4pm, 212 W. Sibley, 1 block S. of Grand River, between Center & Wainut.

Clothes (baby clothing), household goods, woodburning stove & furniture. 2375 Eads, * mile E. of Michigan Ave. on M-59 off of Booth. May 14, 15, 16., 9am-3pm.

May 14, 15 & 16, 9-5pm. Misc. 1057 S. Hughes Rd. HOWELL MOVING Sale! John Deere lawn tractor. furniture, kids clothes 4pm. 3301 Byron Rd.

HOWELL NEIGHORB-HOOD Garage sale. I day only, Sat. May 16, 9-5pm. Stop at the houses w/the balloons. S. Truhn Rd., 2 miles W. of Brukhart off Mason Rd. Truhn Rd. 2 miles W. of Brit May 14, & 15, 8-5pm. Sat. May 16, 9-5pm. 875 Movell YARD sale. Manor, 2 streets past IGA

May 16 & 17, 10am-4pm. 615 E. Washington. HOWELL. 3937 N.

Burkhart, May 16th. 9-5pm. May 17th, 9-3pm. HOWELL, FRI. & Sat. May 15 & 16, 9-5pm. Three family, lots of everything. 3250 Mason rage sale. Young chilled between Michigan dren's items, crib, tools, lawn to the color of Ave. & Burkhart Rd.

HOWELL TOYS, baby & 9am-5pm. Sat. May 16. adult clothes, furniture. 1348 Central: s. of M-59 & e. of Michigan Ave. MILFORD. CHECK our May 15-16. 9am-4pm. HOWELL. 212 Edgemont

dr., 1 mile N,. of M-59 off Oak Grove Rd. Thurs., 5-14 thru Sat., 5-16, 9am-6pm. Clothes: boys, 3-4T, airls. 4. 5. 6. 10. 12. 16 plus much more.

HOWELL. 2201 Oak Grove Frt. 9-5pm. Sat. 9am.-12. Furniture bikes, lawn mowers, girls cloth-ing sizes 4-6X.

HOWELL. 2733 Amberwood Trail, private road, west of Byron, off of Barron. May 14, 15, 9am to 3pm. No early birds. Boys & girls clothes; assorted sizes, lawn mow MILFORD. er, baby things, plus RIDGE CO much more. Priced to sell. HOWELL 3670 Mason

Rd. May 14 & 15, 9-5.
Furniture, clothes, bikes MILFORD, YARD sale. and lots of misc. HOWELL. 509 Isbell. May 15-16, 9-4, Knickknacks, kids clothes &

toys, buttons, etc. HOWELL. 5093 Curdy. May 14 - 16, 9am - 3pm. Between Argentine & Latson, north of M-59.

off Martindale. HOWELL. BABY clothes

HOWELL DINKELVILLE

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HOWELL, FURNITURE.

furniture, tools, lots more.

NEW HUDSON. 55122 & toys, household, misc. Thurs., Fri., Sat., ? 10-6. Oak Grove N. of M-59 to Fisher to 1361 Hoskins.

HOWELL. BIG SALE. New Items from car products, dog items, baby products, cleaning prod-May 14, 15 & 16, 9-4. From Grand River & Mil-ford Rd. take Pontiac Tr. ucts, tools, much more including a lot of cloth-ing. May 16, 9am to 4pm. 4379 Indian Camp Trail.

West to Martindale Rd. HOWELL COON Lake. NORTHVILLE - Big ga-Misc., clothing, house rage sale. Thurs. Fri. 9-3 ttems, antiques. Sat., Sat. 9-12. Many baby May 16, 9am to 4pm. 4039 Southwoods. The Work of the North Meadow Trail in Northville

stroller, Little Tyke bed.
pool. toys, household.
3707 Westphal (off Coon
Lake) May 15 & 16.93.

Stib.. N. off of 6. W. of
Haggerty.
NORTHVILE - canopy
Loke) May 15 & 16.93. bed, desk & hutch, wall unit, corner hutch, Canon camera, household & Misc. snowblower. Call: Melon Barn Sale. 1006 W. Schafer Rd., May 15 &

(248)348-8335 cercise equipment to the NORTHVILLE 14-15-16, 9am-6pm. 464 Grace St. New wheel chair, dining room table, 4 arm chairs. Fender

HOWELL FRI. 9-5pm & Sat. 8-5pm. 125 Old Franklin Dr. 2 miles off Oak Grove Rd. from M-59 Civic Asso. Annual Neighborhood Garage Sale. HOWELL. FURNITURE. clothes, etc., Thurs. 14th-Sat 16th, from 10 am-5pm, 308 S. National, May 15, 16, 9am-3pm. NORTHVILLE COM-

clothes, kitchenware, toys. No early birds. May 15-16. 9am-3pm. 1881 Chilson: w. of Latson, 2 miles s. of Grand River. May 16. 9am-4pm.

16-17th. Furniture, swing set. kids clothes, little set, kids counts, tykes toys! 9-4pm. 437 Morgan Cir., Lexington Commons, E. of Taft. tools, crafts, children's NORTHVILLE TWP.

Woodside Village garage sale, 39823 Woodside Dr. North, off Haggerty. May 14, 15. 16, 9am-4pm.

Highland Lakes between

16, only. PINCKNEY, CHILSON/ SWARTHOUT. May 15. 16 0.5 3887 Green Hills Dr. Furniture, household.

May 15 & 16, 9:30-5. "Housewares", very nice adult & childrens clothes, infant to size 16.

S. of Swarthout. Clothina. toys, collectibles, cookie cutters, pottery & toys.

sale. Fri., Sat., May 15, 16. 9am to 4pm. Furni-ture, used golf clubs, lots of household misc. 10642 West Splitstone, Cobble-stone Creek Subdivision, off of McGregor. .

May 14, 15, 9am to 4pm. PINCKNEY. SUNNY Ridge Sub. Garage Sale. Off McGregor between Shehan & Darwin, Sat., May 16, 9-4. Antiques,

PINCKNEY/ HAMBURG Annual Sub. Sale Multi Family, May 16, 9

dothing, etc.

HUGE SOUTH LYON - Brook- BABY FURNITUREfield Subdivision wide multi-family. Furniture, clothes and much more. Furniture, Huge garage sale. lots of good stuff. Sat. May 16. 9am 4pm. 9 Mile W. of Thurs., 5-14, 9-4, Fri., 5-15, 9-4, Sat., 5-16,

SOUTH LYON Garage 450 N. Ridge, take Haga-dorn to the end. Tools. household items.

SOUTH LYON Multi family sale. May 14-16. 9-2pm. 1.7 Miles E. of US-23 on 9 Mile west of Marshall Baby items. w/stand & much more.

mile) Belt sander, drill press, band saw, scroll saw & much more! Household misc. too! SOUTH LYON Woods an

Pontiac Tr., s. of 10 Mile. SOUTH LYON- Gigantic 7-family sale. Baby to plus size clothes, house-

14-15-16. 9am-5pm. oy & gins clothes, ma

mountain bike. SOUTH LYON. Eagle Point Sub. 10 Mile & Martindale Rds. May 14. 15, 16, 9am to 3pm.

SOUTH LYON, Frt. Sat. 9am-5pm. 60511 Nine Mile Rd.

NOVI. MITTERMITY on-Martins Hardware. rage sale, Sat. & Sun, 16th & 17th from 8-4pm.

Deerbrook Sub. 9 Mile & Meadowbrook. NOVI. 24693 Applecrest, Meadowbrook Glens Sub. Pontiac Trail, S. of 9 Mile. WHITE LAKE. Every May 14, 15 & 16, 9-4. Estate sale. Too much to

NOVI. 41976 Quince. 1 block W. of Meadow-brook, S. off 10. Wed-FrL. Scottwood. ory Ridge Rd. (N. of Com-merce: Rd. & S. of Lone Toys, electronics, bikes &

other cool stuff. NOVI. ECHO Valley Sub 23966 Heartwood, Multifamily-furniture, clothes, books, household, misc. WHITMORE LAKE Frt & Sat., May 15 & 16, 9.5.

NOVI. MEADOWBROOK lands Dr. May 14-16, 9-5. NOVI. MOVING sale-46890 Cider Mill. Games,

crafts, patto furniture, and tiques, bikes, books, etc. May 15, 8-6pm. May 16, 8am-2pm. After Sat. 2pm-

Haven area. Big sale. Womens clothes, numerous household items. Fri., Sat., 10am to 6pm. 1331 West Lake Dr.

PINCKNEY - Moving sale. May 14, 15, 8-5pm. 11417 Welman Dr., off HOWELL APRIL 16, 9-4. NEW HUDSON big ga- 11417 Weiman Dr., off rage sale. Baby items, 9atterson Lk. Rd. at Hell. Clyde. Many nice items, 9-4pm, 59704 Barkley, PINCKNEY Sat. May 16.

PINCKNEY - Sat. May 16. 8-2pm. Ladies/Women's clothes, chocolate molds, exercise bike, woman's WANTED: bike, holiday & house children's clothes, will pay cash, holid items. 3949 W. will pick up (734)761-8878. Schafer Road.

NEW HUDSON. 59192 sale. Deep freeze, \$100. 29 dale. May 15, 16. 8-5pm. Metal desk, \$30. 12hp. content tractor, \$450. MOVING garden tractor, \$450. Minnkota turbo 30 trollmother, \$150. Lawn mower, \$35. 1985 Bay-liner 19ft, 1/0, \$4000. (810)231-9679. Sat., May

PINCKNEY. 416 Reeves.

PINCKNEY. FRI., 5-15, Sal., 5-16, 9-5. Mellow Lanes, off of Pettysville,

PINCKNEY.

PINCKNEY. MULTIPAMI-LY. 3287 Swarthout Rd.

more!

Pontiac Trail.

SOUTH LYON Sat. May 16, 9-5pm. 11611 Mar-shall Rd. (between 8 & 9

nual community yard sale. Frt. May 15 & Sat. May 16. 9am-4pm. E. of

hold, hand pumps, bikes, car seats, lots of misc. 28405 Pontiac Tr., across from John Deere. May SOUTH LYON, 57980 Apple Ln. (near Milford Rd & 12 mile) May 14-16, 9-5pm. A lot of furniture.

SOUTH LYON. Moving Salet 60688 Sue. May 15

SOUTH LYON. Sat., May 16. 8am-3pm. Multi fami y garage sale, 22455 Spangler, 4 mile E. of

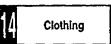
thing goes. Collectibles, clothing, household much more. May 15 & 16. 9-4. Take Thompson, off Bogie Lake Rd to 1329

division sale! Lakewood Village Sub., off Bogie, S. of M-59. Sat. May 16, 9am-5pm.

9261 Holiday, by Baker & Jennings Rd. Men's & ladies clothes, furniture,

May 14 & 15 9am-4pm. Antiques, furniture, deco rative accessories, house hold, animal equip, x-mas, windows & much more not listed.

WHITMORE LAKE. May 14-16. 9am-3pm. North Pointe Estates Sub Sale US 23 & Barker.



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sale. 6240 Meyers. Lee & Rickett Rds., May 14, 15, 9am to 5pm. BRIGHTON.

BRIGHTON. SWEPT Farms Sub. garage sale. Frl. & Sat., May 15 & 16, 9am-4pm. room, living room & office furniture. Baby & childrens item, TV. grill, exer-cise equipment & much more. Spencer Rd., W. of

LAND Lake West Sub annual garage sale. Frt. & Sat. May 15 & 16. 9am-4pm. Take Grand River right on Hacker, before Hyne. BRIGHTON, YARD Sale. May 15 & 16, 9-4pm. 8309 Rickett Rd. TV.

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stuff too! All clean, priced still too Au cierus, pracer right. Antiques, furniture, clothes, etc. Exit Owen Rd., go E., S. on Adelaide, & mile on right. 908 Adelaide. May 14 & 15, 8am-

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HOWELL GARAGE Sale. GREEN OAK Twp. Moving sale. Thurs., Frt., Sat., May 14, 15, 16, 9-5pm.

Near Rushton/Doan. From 10 Mile follow signs. From Silver Lake, follow signs. Thurs., Fri. Sat. May 14, 15, 16, 9-4.

small tools, appliances & misc. goods.

HAMBURG TWP. Annual May 16, 9-3pm. (Huron HAMBURG TWP. Big va-

HAMBURG, PINE Valley 15, 16, 10am-3pm HAMBURG, REBECCA

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HARTLAND -ANTIQUES: dining table, wood snow skts, scrubbing board, pitcher hand pump.

of US-23, turn s. on Birch.

HARTLAND, MAY 16th 9-4. 12645 Dunham. Rain date May 23. Three family, books, household.

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Sun., 11am to 4pm. 3370 Nixon. HOWELL LAWN Sale! May 16 & 17. at 715 E. Grand River. Many unique items, such as Grand antiques & movie props. Plus Much More!

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> Crandall, Thurs. noon5pm, Fri noon-5pm, Sat.
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> NORTHVILLE, 8 family yard sale. May 16 & 17.
> 9am-4pm, Martner Ct., in

HOWELL.

garage Items, something for everyonel 500 E.

Grace (8 Mt./Center). May 15-16, 9-5pm. Misc.

9.12. 582 Morgan Circle., Lexington Commons off Taft Rd. at 8 Mile. NORTHVILLE, LEXING-TON Sub Sale, E. of Taft between 8 & 9 Mile. LANE. 8 HOUSE SUBDI- between 8 & 9 Mile VISION. HUGE GARAGE Antiques, bikes. tools, ex

a ATTIC SALE. Sat. May 16, 7-4pm. Furniture, redecorating items, kitchen accessories, games, ter softener. Unital Telephones. games, ter softener, Little Tykes, clothing Microwave, toys, fishing equipment, lawn mower, grill, dehumldifier, woodadults & kids. Off Jewell MILFORD - 2519 Wixom swing set May 15, 16, Trail (between Duck Lk. 17, 9.5.

& Burns Rd.) May 16-17. 10am-4pm. Vintage 1960 NORTHVILLE. MAY 15. white br. suite, linens, 16: 9am-5pm. Antique white br. suite, wiens, couch, misc. jurname, many small collectibles, couch, misc. jurname, dining table (2 leaves, 4 toys, boys clothes 4T, many rice items, 7 Mile & many rice items, 7 Mile & 2 19511 Marilyn Marilyn at 19511 Marilyn MILFORD HUGE garage sale. Kids ciothes, toys, NORTHVILLE. SALE of misc. Arkham Ln., off of Hickory Ridge Rd., N. of used furniture & other misc. items. First come/

best offer basis on Sat. May 16. 9am-1pm at Northville City Hall, 215 MILFORD YARD sale. W. Main St. Thurs. 5-14 thru Sun. 5-17, 9-6pm. Furniture, NORTHVILLE. kids & adult clothes, kitchen stuff, misc. 2196 PERWOOD Sub garage sale. Sat., Bradner, S. of

families. Between 9 & 10

MILFORD, ANTIQUES, 2 computers, old, old records, old, old typewrit-ers, prom dresses & lots NORTHVILLE. WOOD-SIDE Village Sub. sale Thurs., Frl. & Sat., 9am-4pm. W. of Haggerty, S. of Six Mile. more treasures. Thus, & **NOVI** - Dunbarton Pines Sub Garage Sale, Sat., May 16, 9am-4pm. 20 -

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Mile, E. of Taft.

6 Mile.

2935 W. Commerce. May 13 14, 15, 9-5pm. May 16, 9-12. (bet. Garner & NOVI - Walden Woods 1 & 2 Sub. garage sale. Thurs., Fri., Sat., 9-4pm. Hickory Ridge) Furniture, Off 11 Mile between Taft clothes, toys & dishes. & Beck. NOVI MEADOWRROOK Glens Sub. 10 ML/ Meadowbrook, 5/14-16, 9am-? lawn & garden tractor, van, etc. May 14 & 15.

street for garage sales. Furniture, styling chair, books, crafts, stationary bike, kitchen, clothing. luggage, bedding, more. 273 Noble, off Atlantic. May 15, 16, 9am to 4pm. girls/boys bikes, hand & MILFORD, MAY 20, 21 & power tools, glassware 22, 9am-?, 2500 S. Hick-

Tree Rd.)

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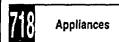
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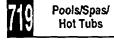
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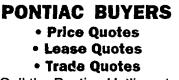
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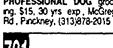
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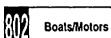
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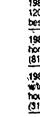
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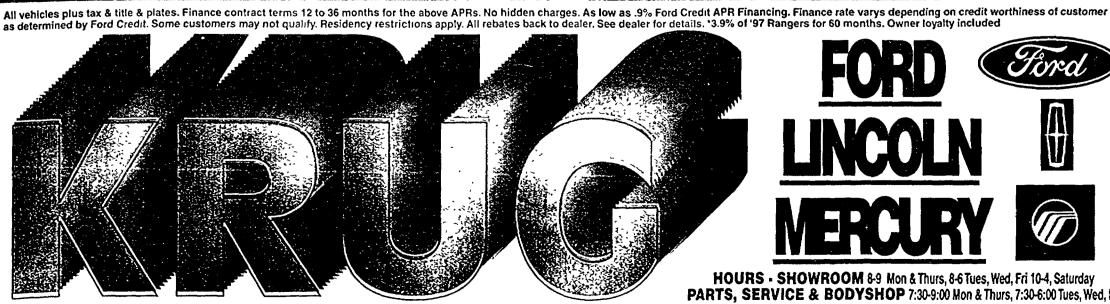
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Cam Mar's is a unique full-service salon that appeals to both men and women.

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"We want people to feel that it is okay to take care of themselves, to pamper themselves once in awhile," Beall said.

And to ensure that pampering, everyone at Cam Mar's does their best to create a warm, relaxing and friendly environment.

A number of packages are available that may include a cut, facial, manicure, general massage—even lunch. Gift certificates are also popular.

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There are two Cam Mar locations, one in Novi at Ten Mile and Meadowbrook and the newest at 21190 Pontiac Trail in South Lyon. Call 248-437-1112 to schedule your appointment.

Coni Callan • Callan Classic Homes

South Lyon (248) 486-3584

Coni Callan, co-owner of Callan Classic Homes in South Lyon, likes cookies but not "cookie-cutter" homes.

Coni is a native of the South Lyon area. She started her cateer as a licensed builder and a site superintendent. Through hard work and dedication she has made quality control, service and timely completion her first priority. Coni hung up her hard hat to specialize in architectural design inside and out.

She works with her clients to design custom homes unique to each client. She feels it's important to design each home to fit her clients desires as well as their budget. Coni can modify stock plans or draw a set of plans from scratch.

Her dedication to service is demonstrated by her commitment to the area and the fact that Callan Classic Homes, Inc. is a family owned and operated business. In addition, the home is backed up by a written whole house warranty.

"A beautiful home is just as important as a well built home" Coni believes. Callan Classic Homes, Inc. is currently working on a custom home development in Lyon Township called "The Ponds."

The 24-lot development is at Twelve Mile and Milford Road. All the homes are custom, no two will be alike. Stop by and see what a difference Callan Classic Homes, Inc. can make.



Ann Ray • Carol's Upholstery

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Carol's Upholstery is all about giving customers an alternative to buying new furniture.

Co-owner Ann Ray says older furniture is better quality than what people can purchase now. Customers may spend the same amount to reupholster old furniture as they would for new, but the old furniture will last much longer. "The materials that go inside the upholstery are of high quality," she said. "Manufacturers are likely to cut corners, but we want the materials to last forever. The materials inside will still be good even after the fabric has worn out."

Ann and her partner, Carol Morrissey, are committed to educating customers about the product in order to help them determine what fabric will be practical depending upon the decor and the use of the piece. They carry fabrics suitable for upholstery, slip covers and also carry cotton print

Carol's also custom builds furniture according to customer needs and makes slip covers for existing furniture. Carol's wide selection of fabric and samples is unmatched, with hundreds of upholstery books available to be taken home. There is 22 years experience behind Carol's Upholstery and the store is woman owned and operated.

Ray is a third-generation upholsterer. Both her father and her grandfather worked in the business. Ray was trained by her father Bill Algar at his furniture business.

Carol's is a smoke-free environment, located in Novi, 44480 Grand River, a half mile west of Novi Road. Visit the shop Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to noon.



Cyndi Vockler • Custom Creations

Novi (248) 424-9035

Looking for a way to supplement her income, Cyndi Vockler did what all creative people do—she started her own business. Her idea, Custom Creations, found a way to satisfy a sweet tooth as well as send a message. What is it? It's a candy bar with a personalized outer wrapper.

Vockler decided to tap into today's computer technology to create a great new party favor, birth announcement or hundreds of other things with a Kit Kat or Hershey's candy bar.

"The thing I like about this is that it allows me to be at home with my children," said the single mom of Lauren, 9, Lindsey, 7, and Allie, 5.

Her most popular request was inspired by her 18 years with an OB/GYN office in Southfield. It seemed like a natural combination — new mothers could order candy bars for birth announcements. "They're so much nicer than a cigar," Vockler said.

There are hundreds of other possibilities — calling cards, change-of-address cards, party invitations, anniversaries and holidays. And coming up soon, personalized candy bars for favors at graduation parties, first communions and weddings? With weddings becoming more elaborate, it's a popular item for seating. Just print the guest's name with their table number on the candy bar.

Arrangements can be made for pick up or delivery. Call Vockler at (248) 347-9432 for a brochure of ways to send a sweet message.





Dr. Kathy Duncan, Chiropractor

Novi (248) 348-2000

Several years back, Kathy Duncan was a registered nurse suffering from migraines. Chiropractic treatments both cured her and inspired her in 1983 to go to Life Chiropractic College in Atlanta, Georgia and earned the designation "Doctor of Chiropractic".

"I practice a soft, gentle, non-invasive pressure point treatment for all types of pain or discomfort in the back, neck, head or legs called Bio-Energetic Synchronization Technique," Dr. Duncan said.

"With the spine as the focal point, muscles are relaxed by using pressure along the spine. With the muscles relaxed, the spine can readjust itself naturally. Tight muscles, caused by stress, tension, strain or trauma, can pull the spine out of alignment and cause pain," she added.

Dr. Duncan opened her first practice, Duncan Soft Touch Chiropractic, in Novi in 1990 because she felt Novi was a very friendly community. Located at 23895 Novi Rd., the office is open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and from 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. The office is also open on Saturdays by appointment only.

In the community, Dr. Duncan is active as president of the Novi Oaks Chapter of American Business Women's Association and singles in the Livonia Community Chorus.

Dr. Duncan finds chiropractic a definite switch from nursing, but likes what she does. As she says, "The patients are a real joy."

Bonnie Twiss • Milford Music

Milford (248) 685-9200

Bonnie and Tim Twiss' music studio is one of the busiest places in downtown Milford. Their excellent teaching staff of 10 women and music knowledge have given them a solid reputation in Milford.

"All the ladies who work here have unique talents. The public never sees these gals. They're charming, delightful, and all are performers or have been performers at one point or another," Bonnie Twiss said.

Bonnie's job is no small feat, keeping the flow of about 500 students in and out in a week running smoothly. She also tries to match the teacher with the student, believing there's someone for every temperament and age group.

That special person may be Sara Jenson, who teaches flute; Kathie Kifer, Elena Tsai or Kathy Smith who teach piano; Jeanne Lehning, who teaches preschool; Marianne Murphy, who teaches piano, guitar and vocals; Kim Sackrider, who teaches violin; Tamara Whitley, who teaches vocals and piano; or Jane Williams, who teaches clarinet and oboe. Bonnie also teaches piano.

"I look for instructors who are skilled, have high degrees of education, and are going to love the stuffing out of these kids," she said. "I'm also looking for high character standards, super dependable, always cheerful and ready to give their best."

The teaching staff at Milford Music is giving a free performance at The First Baptist Church of Milford, May 31, at 2 p.m.



Bev Gilbert • ERA Rymal Symes Realty

Novi (248) 632-5489

As a top producing agent in her office, Bev Gilbert of ERA Rymal Symes Realty knows the real estate business from the ground up. Bev has been providing personalized real estate services to clients for the past nine years.

Customer service is what sets her apart. She goes the extra mile to help customers with whatever they need to have a successful real estate transaction. A Novi resident for 24 years, Bev has seen the community grow and change. She knows the area inside out. She often works with people entering the home market for the first time. As a sellers' agent, she is as familiar with procedures for selling a home as purchasing one.

Bev is a certified buyers representative and is certified for relocation. She believes in educating her clientle. She gives financial guidelines for purchasing a home and walks customers through the steps of buying. "When you purchase a home for first time, it can be an overwhelming time," she said. "My job is to walk people through one step at a time ... to help smooth out the process and make it wrinkle and stress free."

Bev is a multi-million dollar producer and a recipient of the President Club's Award, First in Service Award, Golden Circle Award, First Place National Marketing Award and Paul Harris Fellow Award from Rotary International. She also has earned certifications from the Graduate Real Estate Institute, and is a Certified Residential Specialist — an esteemed designation that only 2 percent of the Realtors nationwide have completed.



Marcy May • Our Blessings Consignment

Milford (248) 685-1594

Dressing your best for less is what Our Blessings Consignment Clothiers in Milford is all about. "You can expect to pay one third of what our items would cost retail. It's a wonderful way to shop," explained Marcy May, owner of the consignment store.

Located at 328 Summit, since opening six years ago, the shop has continued to grow. Future plans include opening a separate shop for maternity and children's clothing, infant furniture and children's toys while keeping men's and women's clothing and accessories in the current spot.

May offers a vast selection of only quality labels and designer clothing. A variety of jewelry, shoes, purses, belts, toys and other items are also for sale. "Everything we accept on consignment must be clean, pressed and brought in on hangers. Our standard is high but it is what our customers have come to expect," she added.

When you bring items in you receive 50 percent of the selling price which is reduced by 20 percent every 30 days. You are free to stop in at any time to collect your money and your items will be on display at the store for four months. "Our computerized system makes it quite easy to track the consignor's items. They are pleased with the money they make and, if they like, they can keep their profits on the books and purchase other merchandise," May said.

This is May's busiest time of the year. Each day nearly 300 items will make their way into the store. Says May, "If you come in weekly, it's like shopping at a new store."



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Andrea Phillips • Phillips Funeral Home

South Lyon (248) 437-1616

Andrea Phillips believes in customer service and community involvement.

She and husband, Richard, own Phillips Funeral Home. Established in 1889, it is the oldest business in South Lyon and one of the oldest funeral homes in the state. The funeral home has also received several honors for excellence in customer service and community involvement.

Andrea and Richard are the fifth generation of Phillips to run the home. They carry on the family's mission of giving caring assistance and providing traditional funerals, cremation services, monuments and markers, as well as pre-planning and after-care services.

Andrea specializes in assisting customers with pre-arrangements. There are benefits to pre-planning a funeral that many people don't consider. Andrea notes that pre-planning funerals is becoming increasingly popular. It is an excellent way to save money and it allows you to make your own choices and take the burden off your family to make these decisions during an emotionally diffi-

Andrea, who has an MBA, knows the importance of taking care of people. She believes the extra things you do for people show them you care.

This summer, the Phillips Funeral Home will expand its facilities, adding a pre-arrangement center adjacent to the existing building. Plans also have been finalized for a new site in the Whitmore Lake area. Phillips Funeral Home is located in downtown South Lyon near Ten Mile and Pontiac

Michele Huss • Tucson Computer Sales & Service

South Lyon (248) 486-4868 or pager (810) 402-0560

Michele Huss had an extensive background in office and sales work when in 1992, her life took a rather dramatic turn. Widowed at the age of 36, with a 6-year-old son to raise, she went back to Schoolcrast College and received her Associate's Degree in small business administration. Realizing the importance of education, she followed through and graduated last year with her Bachelor's Degree from Cleary College.

Michele has handled the adversity in her life admirably. She is focusing her energy on what is important in her life; her new husband, her son (now 12), and her career. Michele met her husband, Randall, at college where they worked towards their degrees together. With a friend, Jeffrey Borton, the couple decided three and a half years ago to use their combined computer knowledge to start Tucson Computer Sales & Service, Inc. The business encompasses all aspects of the computer business world; from new systems to upgrades, service, networks and training. They work closely with several businesses in the area, but also extensively work with in-home purchases and use of computer systems or upgrades. Their specialty is helping the "novice" computer person in purchasing and operating the system. Michele also does computerized accounting for several companies and is always interested in offering her services in setting up accounting packages for businesses or personal use.

Michele also continues to keep her hand in the real estate industry by working at ERA Rymal





Barbara Herzog & Sandra Jenkins Healthstyles Physical Rehabilitation

South Lyon (248) 486-1110

Licensed physical therapists Barbara Herzog and Sandra Jenkins saw a need in the South Lyon community for quality, patient centered therapy. Since opening the doors of Healthstyles Physical Rehabilitation at 301 S. Lafayette St., the business has grown and helped a multitude of patients.

The Healthstyles staff of physical therapists treat existing conditions and can provide preventive health care as well. The staff also includes a registered occupational therapist, Julie Liddell, to promote the rehabilitation of patients and to achieve personal independence. She will be offering a new program early this spring, Rehab for the Breast Cancer Patient. A speech pathologist, Linda Iransou SLP, CCC has special training for "voice rehab" in addition to her individual programs for children and adults with speech difficulties.

The Healthstyles therapists work with the prescribing physician to provide individual care and to instruct each patient in an independent home program. Emphasis is on continued well being and good health. There is regular communication between the staff and the prescribing physician.

The professional team has vast experience in orthopedics, pain management, neck and back pain, myofascial release, post surgical rehabilitation, neurological conditions, and general and industrial rehabilitation. They also consult and design preventive education for industry and the community.

Healthstyles Physical Rehabilitation continues to stand out in the area as a positive and healthful attribute. The staff can be reached at (248) 486-1110.

Kathleen Layson • ERA Rymal Symes

South Lyon (248) 437-3800

It has been an outstanding year for ERA Rymal Symes broker Kathleen Layson.

Ranked among the top 5 percent of all real estate sales professionals in the country, it is Layson's dedication to her clients that contributes to her success.

For 24 years, Layson has been helping people buy and sell their homes.

"I really have to attribute my success to referrals from my past clients and their loyalty," Layson

She has been active in the South Lyon and the surrounding area since 1974. The opening of her own office at 346 N. Lafayette, in the renovated St. Joseph Catholic Church, was an exciting challenge she admitted.

By joining with Rymal Symes in 1996, we were able to bring in the technology necessary to assist our clients in this growing area," Layson said.

Pivotal in property development and homes sales, Layson has been honored for her outstanding sales and customer service and more recently rated number four in sales volume and number one in closed units for 1998 in the state of Michigan.



Kathleen Layson (center) receives an award from District Manager Terry Rhoads and June Slusser.



D&N Bank of South Lyon

South Lyon (810) 437-8186

Step into D&N Bank of South Lyon, and you're going to be greeted with a smile and friendly service.

Brenda Briggs, teller supervisor, said that's what she stresses to her tellers. She knows that a bank in a town like South Lyon needs to have that small-town atmosphere and personal service. And that's just what customers find at D&N Bank.

Briggs, who has worked at D&N for 12 years, said the best part about working at the bank is that each day is "never, ever exactly the same." Between dealing with customers, tellers and the different personalities, she said every day provides a new challenge which makes the work more inter-

Briggs said her staff is comprised of a good mix of people who work well together.

June Britton, bank receptionist, has lived in South Lyon for 26 years and has worked at D&N since 1994. She enjoys the smiling faces that come into D&N and enjoys meeting new people.

Kathy Hanert, a teller, has worked at the bank seven years and enjoys working with people. Jacki Holmes, personal banker, has worked in South Lyon for nine years and worked at D&N for 17 years. She enjoys working with people in the community.

Mary Lou Lesnau, personal banker, has lived in South Lyon for 11 years and has worked at D&N since 1989. She is actively involved in St. Joseph's Catholic Parish and South Lyon Community Schools. In addition, she is fluent in Spanish and is therefore able to assist people who speak only that language.

Theresa Resh, a teller, has been working in banks since 1975 and came to D&N three years ago. She hopes to eventually relocate to the South Lyon area.

Taryn Targosz, a teller, has lived in the South Lyon area since 1977 and worked in banks for seven years. She enjoys working in our small but growing community.

D&N Bank is located at 419 S. Lafayette in downtown South Lyon.



Judy Dore' • ERA Rymal Symes

Novi (248) 349-4550, ext 216

SERVICE: Work done for others.

Judy Dore', a full-time Realtor for ERA, believes that phrase describes the basis for a successful career in the real estate field. "After 12 years in the business, I know the customer is more interested in what services I can offer than they are in the 'millions of dollars' of business I might have

Dore' has been associated with ERA Rymal Symes since she began her real estate career in 1987. She feels the products ERA offers are the best in the business and is equally proud of the services that Rymal Symes offers to make each transaction run smoothly.

A lifetime area resident, Dore' feels her attention to detail and sense of humor have served her well in becoming successful in her chosen field. "I am always aware that I am being entrusted with the customer's largest investment, but sometimes a good laugh is just what is needed," Dore' said.

She recently returned from the ERA International Convention where she received honors for her level of business in 1997; but she is most proud of the Service Award presented to her by her broker, Conrad Jakubowski.

Dore' is also very active in her community and church, having served as church treasurer for the past 12 years. She can be reached at her office at 22034 Novi Road, just south of Nine Mile or by calling 248-349-4550, ext. 216.

Pat Curry & Miki Burton • The Pet Stop

South Lyon (248) 486-5838

The Per Stop is now in its fourth year of service in the South Lyon/New Hudson area. Getting into the pet business was easy for owners Miki Burton and Pat Curry, "We both have

pets of our own and love animals," said Curry.

Along with store manager Kris Burton, both said they are thrilled with the continued support they have received from local residents and are extremely proud of the name they have established. We have developed a customer base that includes residents from Chelsea to Clinton Township. Our reputation for healthy, happy animals, friendly customer service, and a clean store has drawn folks from at least five counties. One customer who moved to Tennessee and couldn't find the prod-

ucts she wanted has us ship them to her," Curry said. Although both owners agree they are not interested in getting into the mail order business, "helping out a loyal customer is just another example of our determination to keep our customers

happy," Burton said.

The Pet Stop is located at 22351 Pontiac Trail. For information call (248) 486-5838.





Jeanette Holtman • Creative Memories TM Consultant

South Lyon (248) 486-1423

"My home-based business allows me to earn income and work flexible hours around my family responsibilities as a wife and mother of six children," explained Creative Memories Director, Jeanette Holtman.

A Creative Memories consultant for six years, Jeanette teaches classes and workshops using the company's exclusive line of photo-safe scrapbook albums and supplies. She has helped hundreds of people get started organizing their photos into Creative Memories albums.

The classes and workshops are helpful to everyone who stashes photos in envelopes, drawers and shoe boxes. "This business has enabled me to document our own family photos and memories. We now have over 20 completed family photo albums," said Jeanette.

Jeanette teaches at a number of locations and in peoples' homes. Call Jeanette at (248) 486-1423 for a schedule

The Creative Memories product line is on display and available at the Holtman home along with product catalogs, located at 9670 Dixboro Rd. "We carry high quality, photo-safe products at a great price and everything you need to put together a safe, meaningful and creative album."

Jeanette was the recipient of Creative Memories' 1997 National Spirit of Success award. She has also helped several people get started in their own home-based Creative Memories business. "I train and support new consultants, both locally and out of state." Call Jeanette for a business information packet. "I would love to help you get started," she says.

Diana Beneteau • Arbonne International

Northville (248) 349-6071

Diana Beneteau has spent the majority of her life in the beauty spotlight.

As a model for 20 years, a modeling agent, and a first place winner of the MAC Spotlight '90 beauty competition in the skin care division, Diana is familiar with products on the market today. Yet Diana suffers from a common condition that many people struggle with — sensitive skin.

Arbonne International is a world renown Swiss skin care system that has built an 18-year reputation as one of the most pure, natural, safe and effective skin care products on the market today. Diana, a Northville resident, is completing her first year as an Arbonne Consultant — and customer. "After using the products, you'll see a clarity in your skin that's unbelievable."

Arbonne is able to meet the specific needs of every skin type, be it oily, combination, normal, mature, acne troubled or sensitive. Arbonne also carries body care products and specialty items to help you look and feel your greatest.

In addition to developing outer-beauty, Arbonne is introducing Bio-Nutria, a new line of state-of-the-art nutritional supplements geared specifically for weight loss and weight management. "As a student of nutrition, I know that you must have a good start nutritionally," Diana said.

Diana offers free consultations and is continually educated on her product. To make an appointment call (248) 349-6071.



Climb on board for insurance discounts! ENGINEER ON BOARD ON BOARD

Esther DiLorenzo, Julie Herron, Pamela Capper-Adams AAA Michigan Novi (248) 347-6969

Exciting changes are taking place at AAA Michigan this year. And insurance partners Julie Herron, Pamela Capper-Adams and Esther DiLorenzo are thrilled to be part of those changes.

With over 50 years of combined experience among them, what started off as a new venture nine years ago has become a statewide respected AAA agency.

Located in the Country Epicure Plaza, 42026 Grand River, Novi, the agency offers memberships, automobile, homeowners, boat and motorcycle insurance; life and health insurance; and umbrella liability policies that are all exclusive to AAA.

AAA inembership is becoming a "better value" for customers all the time. The newest offerings are credit union member discounts, and a new discount program for Chamber of Commerce members and professional affiliations. "We are very excited about these new offerings. They can provide a very substantial discount for our members."

Associate Gene Lemberg is also on board to help with life/health, disability, annuities and financial services. 'AAA speaks for itself. Its high standards, excellent claim service, an 'A' rating and nationwide reputation combine to aid us in bringing high quality service to our members. And that's extremely important to us.'

All agree that it's the personal touch that counts in their work, "we want to help you find what's right for you. Everyone is important to us."

Marty Ward • The Health Mart

Milford (248) 684-6278

Marty Ward's career in the health industry began with a grain of wheat.

"Marty Bread," as it has become known, is a home-baked 13 grain and seed health bread. The bread is still available — it's baked and sold at Colasanti's market in Highland.

However Marty, a Highland resident, has risen to bigger projects, opening her hugely successful health store, The Health Mart, in downtown Milford. The Health Mart has everything a person needs to begin and maintain an all-natural, holistic approach to healthy living. Marty carries a full supply of quality vitamin supplements, many health books, children's products, health foods and a large collection of homeopathic remedies to treat ailments from stomach aches to arthritis.

Marty and her friendly, educated staff of three — daughter Becca, Pat Smith and Barb Weitlauf—are knowledgeable about the products and able to answer many questions.

Marty aims to continually educate customers, bringing them the latest in alternative healing methods, as well as getting to know them as individuals. Her own interest in health issues began when she kicked her smoking habit and began to see the benefits of a healthy lifestyle. "If you can prevent a disease or a condition with alternative medicine, then let's try," said Marty.

The Health Mart is open Monday through Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday 9:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.



Barbara Weitlauf, Becca Ward, Patricia Smith and Marty Ward

We encourage our customers to browse and enjoy themselves.

Nancy Smith, owner Wind River Gallery

Nancy Smith • Wind River Gallery

Milford (248) 684-6044

Relax, embrace the peaceful atmosphere, and enjoy some small-town hospitality when you walk through the arches at Wind River Gallery in Milford.

Nancy Smith, owner, wants shopping at Wind River to be a non-stressful and pleasant experience. "We like our customers and want them to feel good about their purchases," she said. "We don't try to rush anyone into buying. We encourage our customers to browse and enjoy themselves.'

The gallery maintains a selection of unique gift items, prints, originals, and rustic furniture in a broad spectrum of price ranges.

Nancy, who established the business nine years ago with her husband, Tim, is constantly changing and adapting her inventory to match current trends.

For example, during the past year Nancy has expanded her line of quality giftware and collectibles. "We've been very pleased with the success of our giftware," she said. "As a result, we're expanding that portion of the business to include unique items like Harmony Kingdom collectibles, and country artists, pottery and home accents like decorator and Tiffany lamps."

When browsing through the store, you will also notice many unusual pieces of rustic furniture. Carved trout or golf conversational tables, book shelves made from boat frames, topical



folding screens and hand-painted wood cabinets are just several of the unique items in stock. "Lighthouses and fishing themes are very popular for decorating this year," Nancy noted.

Having difficulty finding that perfect picture for your home or office? Wind River can help, Ginnie McDowell, one of the sales team, has a special treat for research and finding that special print. The staff will also visit your home or office to help you with your decorating decisions.

Custom framing, though, is still a large and expanding part of the business. "We have customers who move out of state and still continue to frame with us because they prefer the quality and personal service of our custom frame department," Nancy said.

Jan Lilly and Kathy Boonstra are in charge of the framing department that provides museum-quality framing for limited edition prints and photographs. Most anything can be custom framed at Wind River. Memorabilia, clothing, sports tickets and hockey pucks are all adaptable for framing.

Framing can make a nice gift for any occasion. For example, a great graduation gift might be to frame the graduation announcement with favorite mementos from high school like varsity letters, medals, pins, and prom and senior photos.

Limited edition prints by local Michigan artists and Thomas Kincade limited edition canvas prints can be purchased at Wind River and framed, too.

The gallery also features local artists two or three times a year. "It provides our customers with the opportunity to meet the artists and have their work personalized," said Nancy.

Stop in, browse, chat a little ... you're always welcome at 400 N. Main St., Suite 202 in downtown Milford.



Terry Gross • Cobb Hall Insurance Agency

Milford (248) 685-1552

The Milford staff of Cobb-Hall Insurance understands the importance of team work, as one of the firm's three offices. "We are a very innovative, team-empowered organization," said Milford team leader Terry Gross. "Our focus is on delivering exceptional service and protection through quality insurance products and claims service for our clients."

One of the aspects that distinguishes Cobb Hall is the importance the firm places on hiring exceptional staff. Ms. Gross, who has over 20 years experience in the insurance industry, explains the need to have associates who understand what it takes to be a leading firm in today's environment. In keeping with this philosophy, every person has the ability, and in fact the responsibility, to constantly look for ways in which to improve. Everyone is involved in decision making, having input, and even sharing in the profitability.

In addition to Ms. Gross, the downtown office is staffed by Betty Dodge and Pamela Sergent, each with 15 years experience. Processing support is provided by Melody Thomas who has been with the agency for five years, and the recent addition of Jeanine Kulongowski to the processing department. Commercial customer service for the Milford office is provided by Bernadette James with 14 years of experience, and Bonnie Poicus with seven years of experience.

With offices in Milford, Brighton and Howell, the firm services over 5,000 personal customers and 700 businesses, writing over \$8 million a year in premiums.

Carol Clark • ERA Rymal Symes

South Lyon (248) 437-3800

Rymal Symes Realtor Associate Carol Clark is dedicated to her clients.

"It's what's most important to me. I want to see people happy and excited about their real estate move," Clark said.

*Licensed and working as a successful realator since 1990, Clark joined the ERA Rymal Symes South Lyon office in February of this year.

Last year, Clark sold \$4 million plus and there's no stopping her.

Experienced in relocation as well, she likes to ensure that any transition is as easy as possible for

"Buying or selling a home, moving to a new area, these can be very trying for people. We work hard to make sure it is a pleasant experience," she added.

Clark lives in the area and feels a commitment to the community.

"Rymal Symes has been selling real estate in the area for a number of years. It's reputation is something we are very proud of," she said.

The ERA Rymal Symes office in South Lyon is located at 346 N. Lafayette. Clark can be reached at (248) 437-3800.

"I'm sincere in my desire to help people — my interest is in finding clients what they want and my reward is their smile," Clark said.





Mary M. Bunker, D.O.

Milford (248) 684-1080

"Gentle Medicine" is the homeopathic medicine Dr. Mary Bunker practices. It is health care that treats the individual as a whole, rather than merely treating the symptoms.

It is "a different kind of doctor's office," in which patient and doctor work together in an informal setting in a healing partnership. An uninterrupted initial visit of one to one and a half hours allows the doctor to understand the totality of the individuals unique symptoms so that the body's innate ability to heal can effect a cure.

Dr. Bunker's goal is maximizing wellness through attention to diet, nutrition, health and weight management plans. Modalities include individualized homeopathic medicine and osteopathic manipulative treatment, using craniosacral and Fulford techniques.

Dr. bunker, Board Certified in Family Practice, notes that conventional treatment and diagnostic techniques are used when appropriate, as are herbal supplements and natural hormone replacement therapy.

"Many patients are ready for a change in the medical care they are given," says Dr. Bunker, who specializes in Homeopathy. "That will happen when enough patients and doctors demand it, so I decided to take a stand and make that kind of change."

Dr. Bunker's office is located at 317 Union Street, Ste. D in Milford. Call (248) 684-1080 for an appointment.

Nancy Weeks • Huron Valley Schools Credit Union

Highland (248) 887-0666

With their 40th anniversary looming ahead, exciting things are happening at Huron Valley Schools Credit Union.

Nancy Weeks, CEO, is anticipating great things for 1999. "We're planning to break ground next year for a building addition that will double our size and include both drive-thru facilities and ATM machines," she said. An artist's rendering of the proposed expansion will be displayed in the lobby for customers.

"The Credit Union has been experiencing steady growth in customers thanks to our personal, helpful service compared to other financial institutions," Weeks stated.

She credits her staff with the ability to keep customers smiling. "Where else would you find an entire staff working in pajamas for a day, just for fun?" she asked.

Every staff member at the Credit Union is an integral part of the team. They have a commitment to provide excellent customer service that includes contributing input at staff brainstorming sessions and attending educational seminars to continuously improve customer relations.

The team includes: Sue Ann Peterson, Evelyn Bauer, Sam Olechnowicz, Leslie Nave, Suzy Spitsbergen, Linda McCoy, Sandy Kettle, Cindy Oakley, Karen MacInnes, and part-time loan officer Dan Parrish.

The Savings Club is an enrichment program serving 10 area elementary schools. Savings Club Representatives are Ronna Kulongowski, Bev Gloss, LouAnn Stanley and Robin Rousson.



Julie Wixom • Sunset Sportswear Inc.

South Lyon (248) 437-7611

Sunset Sportswear Inc. can put your company logo on anything.

Julie Wixom, co-owner, said, "Putting your company name or logo on apparel and promotional products sends a positive message to your customer. It shows pride of ownership and creates a professional appearance for any business."

"We assist companies to find products that will be used continuously as well as promote their business."

Sunset Sportswear specializes in custom embroidery and screen printed products like t-shirts, caps, jackets, sweats, golf-wear, tote bags and aprons as well as promotional products like pens and mugs, etc.

Sunset Sportswear can provide the right look for your company's business attire. For example, a denim shirt with your company name or logo creates a classic and professional appearance for you and your staff. "You feel good, look great and it increases the morale within your company." It's a win-win experience.

Sunset Sportswear, started by Jeffrey Wixom 19 years ago, has grown into a solid business with a dedicated staff of 8-10 workers. You can see the products in their showroom or one of their trained, profession sales staff will come to your office with product samples.

Career Center Temps/Career Counseling Center

Commerce Township (248) 360-8331

"We have great jobs with local employees available immediately," stated Judi Crawford of Career Center Temps/Career Counseling Center. The firm has jobs in the industrial, medical and manufacturing fields throughout Oakland and Livingston areas. They place staff in secretarial, book-keeping, construction, general labor, customer services and many other positions. They also provide resume writing, bookkeeping, mailbox, fax and secretarial services.

Ron Rhinevault of Fenton joined the staff five months ago as an Account Representative/Recruiter. Ron was previously employed by the MESC office for 30 years in its job service division. Pam Bierbower of Highland has been with the company for over a year. Pam came to Career Center as a homemaker seeking a part-time bookkeeping position around her children's school schedule, and now is the office manager. Nancy Campbell has been a part-time employee with the company for over two years while maintaining a full-time position with AAA Insurance Company as a senior programmer analyst.

Career Center Temps is a member of the Highland Business Association, Huron Valley and Hartland Chambers, White Lake Business Association, Michigan Career Developers Association and the University of Michigan Alumni Association.

Visit Career Center Temps at their new web site: www.careersconsultant.com or e-mail at: careers@sprynet.com. For Livingston County job seekers call toll free: 1-877-360-8331.



Cindy Jakey • Heritage Real Estate

(248) 684-1245

It's all about teamwork and family at Heritage Real Estate Better Homes and Gardens in Milford.

A mainstay in the community for many years, pride and the personal touch are keywords to all the associates.

"We think of ourselves as an extended family," said Cindy Jakey, president and broker of Heritage Real Estate Better Homes and Gardens.

"We work as a family assisting other families in their search to either buy a home or sell an existing home. It's teamwork that contributes to our success."

Jakey has received numerous certificates of appreciation and has been honored by Better Homes and Gardens for customer service.

She is proud to say that when she began her career 26 years ago she was the youngest female Realtor on the Downriver Board.

Currently vice president of the Better Homes and Gardens Southeast Michigan Broker's Council, Jakey is also a member of the National Association of Realtors, the Michigan Association of Realtors, the Western Wayne Oakland County Association of Realtors and a board of director on the Huron Valley Chamber of Commerce. She was also past president of the Milford Business Association and remains currently as an active member.

Another member of the Heritage team is business partner Kathy Blouin who has teamed with partner Jackie Reading.

Both are multi-million dollar producers who have not forgotten that clients are number one. Both have been a part of the Milford community for over 20 years.

Maia Sherman is an associate broker with Heritage and lives in Hartland.

A busy mother of three and a longtime area resident, Sherman has pledged to "go the extra mile" for both buyers and sellers.

With a promise to use her experience to help you sell your home or find your dream home, associate Jill Ewers, who grew up in a real estate family, says her promise is to provide clients with professional and courteous service combined with up-to-date communications.

Realtor Associate Kristine Uyeda offers her clients a full range of real estate services, priding herself in working to meet the needs of both buyers and sellers. Uyeda is also very active in the community.

Top Producer from 1992-94 and again in 1996 and 1997, associate Paula Tatum-Fenn began



her real estate career in the Westland area and moved to Milford in 1991.

Associate Carolyn Grissim Williams, a Milford resident for 25 years, is a graduate of Ferris State University and has worked in the service industry for over 12 years.

Lee Vandenbussche provides the office with exemplary secretarial support and is also a licensed Realtor.

Turning a home buying dream into reality is the goal of Linda Lazar, senior loan officer for Sunbelt National Mortgage and Realtor associate.

"My clients are all individuals with different financial profiles and different mortgage requirements. By asking the right questions, I can help you determine which loan program best suits your needs and I will be there to guide you all the way," Lazar said.



Rita Ruthig • Rita Ruthig & Associates

Highland (248) 887-3585

Rita Ruthig describes herself as a nurse/massage therapist. "Both are important," she says, "but when you combine the two you get someone with more expertise than either a nurse or a massage therapist individually.

Ruthig, a neonatal intensive care nurse who has been affiliated with Providence Hospital 15 years, is also owner of Rita Ruthig and Associates, a Highland company which utilizes her skills as nurse and massage therapist.

Ruthig offers a four-week Infant Massage class that teaches parents how to massage their babies. Massaging infants, she says, increases bonding, helps colic and helps the baby sleep better.

Also available are Prenatal Maternity Massage for pregnant women and regular Therapeutic Massage to relieve pain and help clients regain mobility.

Ruthig is proudest, however, of a new child birth education class called Magical Beginnings/Enchanted Lives. Ruthig is just one of only 18 people in the world authorized to teach the class which was created by Dr. Deepak Chopra and Dr. David Simon. She gained certification through the Chopra Center for Wellness in La Jolla, California.

"The class teaches that we are spiritual beings, not just physical beings. We learn yoga to help strengthen the mother for labor and we learn meditation to help find calmness which helps the baby and mother. It's mind, body and spirit," she said.

For more information about services call Rita Ruthig and Associates at (248) 887-3585.

Mona Ruggers and Kelly Beasley • Polished Outlook

Milford (248) 685-9898

At Polished Outlook you get the best of both worlds.

Located in a vibrantly repainted and restored Victorian home in downtown Milford, Polished Outlook offers the most advanced spa and beauty treatments to help you look and feel your best.

Polished Outlook is owned by White Lake resident Mona Ruggers, who has been a prominent

leader, educator and lecturer in the field of beauty for 11 years. She began doing makeup at her own mother's salon. In 1987 she opened Polished Outlook.

The mother-daughter tradition continued for Mona when her daughter, Kelly Beasley of New Hudson, joined Polished Outlook as salon manager. Kelly now manages the business, while Mona focuses on the creative aspects.

As a result, Mona and Kelly have created one of the most reputable beauty spas in the area. Polished Outlook hosts a variety of services including treatments for nails, hands and feet, makeovers, facial treatments, waxing and therapeutic body treatments which include advanced Swiss massage techniques, as well as a full service hair salon.

Mona also prides herself on her own cosmetic, skin care and spa line, sold under the label of Polished Outlook. It's available for purchase at the salon. Mona completes the establishment with a lovely boutique filled with hard-to-find treasures.



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Barbara Davies • Art Source

Northville (248) 348-1213

Barbara Davies has always valued two things - art and her own independence.

Barbara spent many years working in art-related endeavors. She worked in a museum, she worked in retail and she worked 12 years in the art and framing business before making the decision to open her own business, Art Source, in the MainCentre in downtown Northville.

"I wanted to go off and be more independent ... to be able to execute my own ideas," she said. Davies, who has been in Northville three years, has been interested in art since high school. She has a two-year degree in commercial art and a four-year degree in fine art printmaking.

Barbara's experience in the art field combined with the help of her two design consultants, Mary and Annalee, has made Art Source very successful.

Art Source is a complete source for prints, museum reproductions, art posters and limited edition pieces and, of course, beautiful framework.

Art Source boasts a large database of resource catalogs, with several dozen print catalogs, including over 500 titles in stock. There are 1,500 mat samples to choose from, as well as 2,000 frame samples. Another important service provided by Art Source is custom mirrors and framing. "We're real proud both of the quality and price of our custom framing," said Barbara.

Barbara enjoys working with people while serving them with something she considers part of her

Kathryn Brock • Village Florist

Milford (248) 685-9012

The floral business is making major changes, and the Village Florist of Milford is no exception. Partners Kathryn Brock and Diane Woolsey of Milford purchased the shop in October 1997. Diane handles the business responsibilities, and Kathryn heads up the creative designing area. Most of the staff has remained: Judy Bonish, Marilyn Fisher, Carrie Wagner, Kathy Arrandale, Rose Hall, Diane Mamut and Debbie Oswald.

Kathryn has been in the floral business for 24 years. She's been keeping up with the latest trends and offers a lot of up-to-date ideas. "The area's changing, and we're changing with it," she said.

"Along with traditional style arrangements, we're introducing more of a European look."

What's new in flowers? With new growing technology we have new varieties of roses from Ecuador and South America. Hawaiian flowers and new hybrid garden flowers from Amsterdam year round.

The Village Florist's goals are to become more involved in custom home decorating work, wedding work and corporate work, not only in silk flowers but fresh arranging and parties. The Design Staff continuously attends seminars looking for new concepts and ideas.

Kathryn and her designing staff look forward to working with you at the the Village Florist, 401 N. Main Street, Milford. (248) 685-9012.



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Tonia Hickman • Molly Maid

Northville (248) 305-7070

Spring is here, and along with it comes the time-honored tradition of spring cleaning. But in the hectic world in which we live, who has time to do it? That's where Molly Maid can help.

Molly Maid is a professional residential cleaning company founded in 1979 by a registered nurse in Canada who couldn't find qualified help to clean her home. By 1984 Molly Maid had become a booming success and branched out into the U.S. It's now an international company with 550 franchises in England, Japan, Canada and the United States.

Tonia Hickman joined Molly Maid in 1987 when she began cleaning homes as a Home Service Professional for the Plymouth branch. She eventually worked her way up through management, including corporate headquarters in Ann Arbor, and now operates the Novi/Northville branch with her fiancee Michael Bennett. "Working at the home office I learned a lot about the business side of Molly Maid and it attracted me to be my own boss," said Hickman.

Together with a team of 14 staffers, including Hickman's mother who is a favorite with customers, Molly Maid can help the busiest of families maintain a beautiful and clean home. Molly Maid provides free, in-home estimates with no obligations and no contracts. All work comes with a customer guarantee.

Hickman has enjoyed the experience of owning her own business, and she is excited about the growth that has taken place — in the community and in her business.

Maureen LaFontaine LaFontaine Pontiac Cadillac GMC

Highland (248) 887-4747

Maureen LaFontaine has been vice president of LaFontaine Pontiac Cadillac GMC car dealer-ship for 15 years. That's not an easy task. "I began in a business traditionally associated with men. When I statted, there were very few women in the field," LaFontaine said. Maureen is half of a dynamic duo that runs two car dealerships in the metro area. Her husband, Mike LaFontaine is president of the LaFontaine Dealer Group, of which she is vice president. The rest of her family, which includes their four children Mike Jr., Ryan, Christie and Kelley, all play a part in making the LaFontaine Dealer Group a success.

Maureen entered the dealership business working in sales, then shortly after started running the day-to-day operations. "I find the work very rewarding, fulfilling and still challenging. I have also discovered that women are the best ambassadors in business — they have a natural ability to communicate in this business — they are used to flipping hats," she added.

The LaFontaines belong to many organizations, including a few such as the area Chamber of Commerce, the Detroit Auto Dealers Association, Michigan Auto Dealers Association and Highland Business Association. She's also on the Board of Directors for Cadillac Advertising and has served as past president.

The dealership is located at 2530 E. Highland Road, Highland.





Phyllis Motley & Diana Morgan • Huron Valley Chamber of Commerce

Milford (248) 685-7129

"What goes around, comes around" is the philosophy of board members of the Huron Valley Chamber of Commerce. Their participation in the chamber also provides excellent benefits and savings for chamber members.

Shirley Bakhaus, a chamber member since 1972, has served on the board for 2 1/2 years. She has run the chamber golf league for 16 years, worked on the highly successful golf outing and chaired the Christmas parade for 11 years. Shirley sells for the Re/Max 100 office at 8800 Commerce Road in Commerce.

Alicia Hodges is a Vice President at Research Federal Credit Union and has served on the board for the past year and a half. Research Federal membership is a benefit of chamber membership. Alicia's spare time is spent with her husband, her two dogs and boating.

Cindy Jakey is broker/owner of the Heritage Real Estate Better Homes & Gardens office in Milford Cindy has been a chamber member seven years and on the chamber board since 1994. She has been president of the Milford Business Association and served on the Committee for Milford

Memories Summer Festival.

Dianna Morgan, membership director for the chamber since 1994, has helped the chamber grow to over 400 members. In addition to her "regular" membership activities, which include participation in everything from chamber lunches to the Christmas Dinner Dance, Dianna helps with the golf outing and has served on the Expo Committee each year.

Nancy Weeks, dubbed the "Sergeant" for her dedication to any project, is the CEO at Huron Valley Schools Credit Union. Nancy has been on the chamber board off and on since 1989. She has served on the Expo committee for each of the last five years; has been on the selection committee for the Chamber ornament; the steering committee for, and president for the Milford Memories Summer Festival. She is currently a Milford Village Council member.

Ruth Wheatley has an advertising specialty business called Royale Specialties. She has been a chamber member for many years and a board member for for the past two years. She is a great help when it comes to selecting promotion items.

Phyllis Motley, executive secretary of the chamber, has been with the chamber for the past 11 years. In addition to her daily duties, Phyllis has served on the Village Council, is secretary to the Downtown Development Authority, Milford Memories and the newly-formed Corridor Committee. All of these things help Phyllis to be able to answer most any question that comes across her desk.



Colleen Tiscornia • Tiscornia Travel

Milford (248) 685-0055

Vacations and business trips can be painless, thanks to Colleen Tiscornia and her staff at Tiscornia Travel in Milford.

"We believe in personalized service. We know our customers, we take care to ensure their travel plans are everything they expect them to be, and we care," Tiscornia said.

Located at 653 Highland Avenue for eight years, Tiscornia Travel can meet all your travel needs. "When we make a recommendation it is because we have checked it out thoroughly. We search for the best prices and the right packages and make every effort to customize all travel services to

our customers," she added.

In-home computers have made airline information more accessible to people but Tiscornia says it is important to remember that you are viewing only one airline at a time.

"We are capable of pulling them all up on one screen. That makes it easier for us to cross reference and look for the best rates. You should also remember that an inexpensive airfare may only be available on certain days with few seats. We find that out immediately," Tiscornia said.

Corporate accounts can be set up at Tiscornia, either for individuals or teams, and if eco-tourism sounds like something you would like to experience, talk to Tiscornia.

Tiscornia has lived in Milford for 14 years and is active in her community. Past president of the Milford Rotary, she is a member of the Downtown Development Authority, the Huron Valley Chamber of Commerce and the American Society of Travel Agents. For information call (248) 685-0055 or (800) 545-07143.

Peggy Johnson • Walldressers Plus

New Hudson (248) 437-5449

Wallpaper has magical effects when it comes to giving a room a new look, but anyone who ha ever attempted to work with wallpaper knows it's sticky, messy stuff to work with.

Professional Peggy Johnson wants to give the rooms in your home a beautifully wallpapered look without all the hassle of a do-it-yourself job.

Peggy is a third generation wallpaper expert. She has been apprenticed to do this job by her father, who was in turn trained by his father. Growing up, she followed her father around and helped in his work, but later moved on to work for other businesses.

After being laid off from one of her jobs, Peggy began working for her father again, who convinced her to go into business for herself. Peggy now works out of her home, giving relief to homeowners everywhere who have neither the time nor experience to put into getting that professionally wallpapered look.

Peggy provides free in-home estimates and measurements so that customers can purchase just the right amount of paper for a given job. She also offers some consultation in the choosing of a wall-paper design if a customer is having a difficult time deciding.

The family aspect is still present with Peggy. She still works with her father on larger projects. They both can wallpaper ceilings, and very difficult larger jobs. "The business itself is very gratifying," says Peggy. "It's nice servicing a customer and making that customer happy."





Georgeanna Kruchko • Backyard Birds

Milford (248) 684-4700

As you walk through the doors, you realize that Backyard Birds in Milford is more than just a bird store. Backyard Birds has everything from hummingbird feeders, butterfly boxes and unique birdhouses to flags, banners, melodic chimes, garden stakes and great gift items.

"People are spending more time in their backyards and enhancing their attractiveness. We offer a unique line of decorative yard accessories," said Georgeanna Kruchko, who started the business nine years ago with her husband and partner, Ernie Kramar. Backyard Birds also carries a large selection of concrete lawn statuary, benches and birdbaths.

Birdseed is the heart of the business. Backyard Birds creates its own special blends and carries all of the specialty seeds, including thistle for Goldfinches, Safflower which squirrels won't eat (and birds will) and Sunhearts which are hulled sunflower seeds and leave no mess.

Georgeanna enjoys working with customers. "They are fun. The biggest problem we encounter is squirrels in the bird feeder, and that can be solved." Backyard Birds also offers a Frequent Feeder Club and The Wise Ol' Owl Shoppers Club for cost and shopping convenience. A newsletter with timely tips and savings is mailed twice a year to customers on the mailing list. Backyard Birds is located at 1100 E. Commerce Rd., the former Watson Builders Supply. (248) 684-4700. Georgeanna and Ernie also have a store at 8101 Commerce Road in Commerce Township where Laurie Lee has been with them for eight years. Their third store is at 36200 Woodward Avenue in Bloomfield.

Patricia Mobley • Center for Life Change

Walled Lake (248) 669-6556

Traditional and alternative therapy have come together with the helpful hand of Patricia A. Mobley, C.S.W., M.S.W., C.Ht., a state certified clinical social worker and hypnotherapist

At her Center for Life Change, Mobley offers clients a mix of traditional psychotherapy, personal counseling, hypnosis, regression therapy, Reiki, therapeutic touch and other techniques. "My goal is to help those seeking inner balance — the balancing of their mind, body and spirit," Mobley explained.

Clients come for a variety of reasons — self esteem, motivation, performance improvement, anxiety, mood disorders, fears and phobias, trauma recovery, pain control and smoking cessation. She is also offering help to achieve painless child birth.

"It's not necessary to stay in treatment for years," Mobley said. "By combining traditional and alternative therapies, clients achieve what they need to at a faster pace."

Mobley has both bachelor and master degrees from the University of Michigan and was trained in hypnosis at the state-approved Infinity Institute. She is a certified NLP trainer and Reiki master. She also conducts numerous seminars.

She is a member of the National Association of Social Workers, the Michigan Society of Clinical Social Workers, the International Medical and Dental Hypnotherapy Association, the Michigan Society of Professional Hypnotherapists and the National Federation of Neuro-Linguistic Programmers



Duane Karr • Duane Karr & Associates Massage Therapy

Milford (248)685-3628

The therapy begins as soon as you walk through the door. Your muscles relax, and you are overcome with a sense of tranquility that, whatever is going to happen here, it will be good.

Recognized as one of the leading massage therapists in Michigan, Ms. Duane Karr has been an active member of the American Massage Therapy Association since 1986 and a registered massage therapist and sports massage therapist since 1989. She has been nationally certified in therapeutic massage and bodywork since 1994 and has been serving the Huron Valley area for 20 years.

A certified and registered therapist, Karr has five certified therapists to accommodate clients' schedules and has three massage therapy rooms. She also manufactures her own line of massage and body oils, bath oils and perfumes.

Office appointments are available Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Clients can arrange home visits or corporate-on-site sessions. Fees for office visits range from \$5 for a five-minute stress-buster to \$75 for 90 minutes.

Karr credits Milford with the distinction of being holistically oriented and is delighted to be active in the community. A member of Huron Valley Chamber of Commerce and Highland Business Association, you may bump into her lecturing at area high schools, presenting workshops out of Huron Valley-Sinai Hospital, or providing stress-buster massages at area street fairs.

Marion Betts & Susanne Gilbert • Main Street Art

Milford (248) 684-1004

Main Street Art is Milford's very own art gallery. Owner Marion Betts has been creating and showcasing local and national artwork in her shop, at 432 N. Main Street, for 16 years. She and manager Susanne Gilbert, who has been with her for 11 of those years, do everything from corporate art to heirloom and memorabilia framing and preservation.

"Marion and I both like to do a lot of design work," Susanne says as she gestures to the work area in the back. It is filled with various works-in-progress.

They incorporate objects like clothing, sports memorabilia and wedding mementos into beautiful antique shadow boxes and colorfully matted frames.

Marion believes part of their continued success is the fact that she stays abreast of new methods to add to their repertoire. Through her travels around the United States and Canada, she keeps up to date on new techniques and ideas. Environment-friendly methods like conservation framing and the use of acid-free materials are just two examples that this forward-thinking shop owner employs.

Marion believes this knowledge benefits her customers by making the work they do for them even more beautiful and longer lasting, as all memories should be.

Over the years the only thing that hasn't changed at Main Street Art is the old-fashioned service. This is a magical place, and each person who walks through the door can feel it.





Pictured above are Barb Binkley, Rita Pace, Mary Ann Parker and Julie Trail. Not pictured are KathyEaton, Melissa Close, Judy Donovan, Robin Levere and Sheryl Pitt.

Barb Binkley • Coopers Jewelry

Brighton (810) 227-2221

Long-time Brighton residents know Main Street would be incomplete without Cooper's Jewelry. Next year, Cooper's will celebrate its 50th anniversary with a year-long extravaganza of fantastic sales and promotional events centered around the sparkling collection of jewels and precious metals the store is known for.

Over the years, Cooper's Jewelry, a family owned and operated business, has built a reputation that is as solid as gold. "We have customers who have bought their class rings here and are coming back to buy rings for their 40th wedding anniversaries," said Barb.

Barb joined the business six years ago when she wed husband, Mark, whose family purchased the business in 1971.

Barb is quick to note that the success of Cooper's really rests on the remarkable staff, nine of whom are women, who have given years of loyal service to their customers. Assistant Manager Rita Pace has been at Cooper's 17 years. "She has a following like you wouldn't believe," said Barb. Julie Trail has been Head Goldsmith at Cooper's for 12 years. She is fully trained by the Gemological Institute of America and specializes in antique jewelry.

Cooper's believes in giving back to the community and is very active in many clubs and planning organizations. "This business is just an extension of who we are," said Barb. "We live in this city, our kids will grow up here, and it's important that we be good citizens as well."

Karen Shelton • Gary Shelton Windows

Milford (248) 685-3713

Having worked in corporate environments for many years, Karen Shelton joined her husband, Gary and her son, Jared at Gary Shelton Windows two years ago. "We are truly family owned and operated, and there is nothing like being your own boss," she stresses.

Gary has been in the business for over 25 years. Together, the Shelton family has established a thriving business. Karen emphasizes that her commitment has enhanced the team. Her support for the family business effected the decision to purchase their current building for showroom space. Huron Valley Chamber of Commerce selected Gary Shelton Windows to receive the Certificate of Achievement Award in Building Restoration for 1995.

The showroom is located at 239 North Main in Milford. Hours are 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays. Arrangements can be made for other hours by calling (248) 685-3713.

Through Gary Shelton Window Installations, Inc. customers select custom-fitted windows from design styles such as bays, bows, casement, sliders and double-hung as well as specialty designs.

Quality, competence and trust are the mainstays of Gary Shelton Window Installations, Inc. Karen explains, "Our customers are also members of our community, so we are committed to high service standards, quality work and quality products."



Sandy Davis • GolFriends

South Lyon (248) 486-0709

Imagine you've got everything together for a great morning on the golf course. Perfect weather, good company and a new set of clubs. But is your game up to par?

If the answer is "no," Sandy Davis, owner of GolFriends, can help.

Davis is a professional, certified golf instructor who teaches throughout Livingston and Oakland County, and will improve the swing of even the greenest novice.

Davis is no newcomer to the game of golf. She has been teaching more than 10 years.

Davis is an energetic, humorous and positive professional who first and foremost enjoys helping people improve their golf skills. Clients appreciate how she simplifies the game and makes it understandable. "I help people define their aspirations in golf and help them play the best within their physical limitations," she said.

Davis educates her students on equipment and course management, and also builds custom

She and her husband have played over 60 courses in Michigan alone over the past three years. She has been taught by recognized club teaching pros in four states.

Golf is what Davis has always done best. "I know I can improve a client's game, and clients often have long ties to me, coming back through the years for equipment fittings and technique adjustments."

She is offering a spring special for new customers of five lessons for \$100.

Lois Carano • ERA Rymal Symes

South Lyon (248) 437-3800

Experience is what Lois Carano is all about.

For 18 years, Lois has been selling real estate in a community she cares about.

"I've lived here for 20 years and raised my family here. I love it," Lois said.

Lois is an associate broker at ERA Rymal Symes Realtors. To her, customer satisfaction is the key to any successful transaction.

"I want clients to feel satisfied at the end. I want them to trust in me and have a happy experience," she added.

A tip for buyers? Talk to your lenders at the beginning of the process, it can save a great deal of heartache. For sellers — get a thorough market analysis, it will tell the whole story.

"I believe that experience speaks for itself. The agent you select to market your home can make all the difference between success and failure," Lois said.

Rymal Symes is located at 346 N. Lafayette, South Lyon. You can reach her by calling (248) 437-

Lois, CRRS, CRMS, is also a member of the National Association of Realtors and the Michigan Association of Realtors.

"My pledge to you is that I will provide the necessary expertise and make every effort to produce the best possible results," Lois said.



Nadwa • Salöné Nadwa and Day Spa

Novi Towne Center (248) 348-7316

WHERE YOU'RE TREATED LIKE ROYALTY

Looking for the gift for the person that has everything? Or maybe you just need the day or even a few hours away from the family. The following are some of the treatment packages available at Salöné Nadwa and Day Spa that provide that perfect gift or well deserved time off:

- . Body & Soul: Enjoy an entire day of pampering and complete relaxation. This full day at the spa includes: A healthy lunch, makeup application, one hour European massage, spa facial, hot oil manicure with paraffin, Gehwol foot care treatment with paraffin. Customized seaweed body treatment, shampoo and style, makeup application.
- Spa Spirit lifter: Relax and unwind with the Spa Spirit Lifter. This half day at the spa includes: A healthy lunch, makeup application, one hour European massage, mini beautifying facial, hot oil manicure, Gehwol foot care treatment, shampoo and style.
- De-stresser spa package for men: Designed to relieve tension and help men relax, this package includes: A healthy lunch, one hour European massage, spa facial, manicure, Gehwol foot care treatment, conditioning aromatherapy scalp massage and hairstyle.
- Anti-stress package: A head to toe treatment for ultimate relaxation. This package includes: A one hour European massage with essential oils combined with an anti-stress treatment.
- Bridal package: Perfect for the bride and her bridal party, this package includes: A healthy lunch, spa facial, hot oil manicure, Gehwol foot care treatment, makeup application, one hour European massage and wedding hairstyle.

In addition to the packages, Salöné Nadwa and Day Spa has available dozens of individual facial treatments, hair care, makeup applications, hand and foot treatments, waxings, body massages and body

Gift certificates are available.

HOURS:

Saloné Nadwa and Day Spa is open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday; 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday and 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday.



SALON CARE

The following are some of the services offered in Saloné Nadwa and Day

Hair: cut and style for men and women, tint, highlights, corrective color, relaxer permanent wave shampoo and style and formal styling as well as claypac and aromatherapy conditioning treatments.

Hand and foot: French manicure, hot oil manicure, men's manicure, acrylic full set, acrylic fill in, buff and shine, paraffin hand treatment, Gehwol foot care treatment, paraffin treatment

Face: Makeup applications, makeup lessons, special occasion makeup, artificial lash application, eyebrow tint and eyelash tint.

Permanent makeup: Accentuate eyes, enhance lips and define eyebrows for 24 hour glamour.

Waxing: Body waxing removes hair for weeks leaving skin silky smooth without irritation or shadow.

SPA CARE

The following are some of the services offered in the spa:

Massage: European, Shiatsu, Aromatherapy, lymphatic, Swedish, 30minute stress reduction, prenatal and the energy sequence chair massage.

Body therapy: Detoxifying body masque, aromatherapy hydropack, body and skin renewal treatment, anti-stress treatment, remineralizing body masque, stress relief therapy, salt glow tanning, alpha hydroxy exfoliating, mineral salts scrub, total body polisher, cellulite wrap, bust treatment and botani-

Face: Ayrvedic treatment, spa facial, aromatherapy, deep pore cleansing, bio actif restructuring, oily skin facial, back facial and Blavi facelift facial.



ometimes to achieve a dream, it is necessary to overcome difficult odds. Nadwa Yono, owner of Novi's salon hot spot, Salone Nadwa and Day Spa, saw right through those odds to achieve what She's always dreamed — the largest full-service salon and day spa in the metro Detroit area.

Nadwa was raised in Farmington Hills and currently lives in Novi with her husband Eric and her two children, Brandon and Kyle. She and her family are originally from the Middle East, where a woman owning her own business is practically unheard of. Nadwa remembers having to struggle with with her family over her career choice, yet even that was not enough to make her quit.

Najla, Nadwa's sister and salon and spa coordinator, remembers Nadwa's ambition began in the early years of her childhood. "Ever since I was little I always thought Nadwa would be successful. She always strives for perfection in everything she does, and it always turns out to be a success for her. She's definitely a leader.'

This persistence has certainly paid off for Nadwa. She officially entered the beauty industry 15 years ago as a hairdresser. She worked in various salons throughout the area, but this was not enough. Nadwa had to follow her dream in opening her own exquisite salon and spa. Being a minority in the United States, this was not an easy task. She had to overcome many obstacles.

adwa wanted to make it the goal of her salon to continually be educated on the latest styling trends. She has had the privilege of learning from many of the styling greats. Nadwa has been a protege' of such leading stylists as Vidal Sasoon, Tony & Guy, Trevor Sorbie and Joico. She is recognized as an educator of cutting and styling for Trevor Sorbie and a color educator for Joico.

"I base my whole career on education, and I feel that is one of the things that makes me most successful," said Nadwa.

Nadwa's continuing commitment to education is reflected in the skill of her staff. All staff members are fully trained through a salon/spa educational program, which lasts six months to a year before a stylist can even work on the floor. In order to stay on staff, one must continue their education in beauty throughout

In November of 1995 Nadwa officially opened Salone Nadwa and Day Spa, and since then has experienced only success.

Nadwa's vision was to create a place where there was a complete balance between the salon care a client received and the spa care. "First and foremost, we wanted to offer the best of both — the salon and salon with a few massage tables. We are a state-of-the-art salon and spa with the newest and latest innovations in both areas," said Nadwa.

alone Nadwa and Day Spa is divided into several studios, all specializing in specific areas. They are a full-service salon and spa that has a treatment for anyone who is seeking to be pampered and feel beautiful from head to toe.

There is a complete hand and nail studio where the European Gehwol Foot Treatment is available — a favorite among clients. The studio also offers a variety of other treatments to soothe and beautify the hands and feet.

Salone Nadwa and Day Spa also has a full-service hair studio, a color studio which features the new and innovative Eco hair color machines which can develop the color within 7-10 minutes of application, and a makeup studio which has recently been expanded to meet the increasing demand of clients. The newest services offered are permenent makeup and electrolosis permanent hair removal.

The other half of Salone Nadwa and Day spa is up-to-date on all spa services, which attracts clients from all over the state seeking the soothing and purifying body therapy and facial treatments and the many types of relaxing massage.

Il treatments are done in private rooms separate from that of the busy salon area. Clients can relax and unwind to soothing music while enjoying the benefits of Nadwa's services. Nadwa is quick to note that the spa treatments are continually updated and improved.

Clients can receive treatment packages that focus on specific needs, such as the Body & Soul treatthe spa. One does not get more attention than the other. We're not a spa that has a few hairstylists or a ment, the Spa Spirit lifter, the De-stresser package for men, the Anti-stress package and the Bridal pack-

> Another successful aspect of Salone Nadwa and Day Spa is the complete selection of products available for purchase.

The same effective products that are used during salon sessions can be taken home and used daily to create that same fantastic look over and over again.

Nadwa chooses her exclusive products by seeking them out at the best shows. All of them are used by Nadwa and her staff to test for their effectiveness before they are ever used on a client.

Despite Salone Nadwa and Day Spa's success as an internationally-recognized salone, Nadwa has no plans of slowing down in the near future. Salone Nadwa and Day Spa is in the process of expanding the entire salone to an additional 1,300 square feet due to the steady influx of new clientele.

Her final objective is to become a salon by which all others are measured.

"It seems like it's never enough for me," says Nadwa.

"I'm always striving to be the best I can be."



Karen Slack • Traditions Ltd.

Northville (248) 349-0199

Traditions Ltd. provides a unique blend of home decor, gifts and garden items as well as a boutique of casual womens clothing for the discriminating customer.

"Many customers tell us that Traditions is their favorite store," owner Karen Slack said. "Our main focus is to provide customers with interesting accessories to complete their decor and with great gift ideas. With merchandise coming in constantly, our mix changes daily. If you just missed the perfect lamp, picture or wreath, another may be here on the next truck.

Merchandise becomes special in the way it is selected and displayed by Karen and her crew. Value is added through the service, personal attention and assistance Traditions provides to it's customers.

"My recent venture into fun and interesting clothing has been an excellent addition for our customers. They love our handmade vests and sweaters, many of which are knitted by an area resident. Being a boutique, I like to focus on special items and comfortable outfits which are not part of the department store routine," said Karen.

"It's very rewarding to own a thriving business based on the things you love," said Karen. "Color, design, decorating and style have always been important to me personally and here I have the opportunity to work with what I love."

Whether Northville is your destination or you seek unique items for yourself of your home, stop in and see Karen, Nina, Sue, Elizabeth, Yvonne and Judy at Traditions Ltd., 120 N. Center Street, Northville.

Sue Dillon • Graphic Visions

Northville (734) 420-3508

We all know how important image can be to the success of a company — the obvious examples are the Nike swoosh and McDonald's golden arches — but presenting a professional appearance should be a part of every company's philosophy, not just megacorporations.

But where can start-up companies, entrepreneurs and mid-size businesses turn for help? The answer is right in their own backyard.

Sue Dillon, owner of Graphic Visions, Inc., a graphic design and sign company located at 15115 Northville Road in Plymouth, has made it her business to help local businesses—of all sizes—present a consistent, professional image. Graphic Visions Inc.'s continuing ad campaign explains Dillon's company philosophy: "Image is Everything."

With a talented staff of designers, copywriters, art directors, customer service representatives and sign craftsmen, Graphic Visions, Inc. can make your company look good: from creating a dynamic logo, to producing an attention-getting brochure, to fabricating an exterior sign, to decaling company vehicles. "We offer the convenience of 'one-stop-shopping' combined with the personal service you can only get from a local company," Dillon says. "We get to know our clients and their particular needs and have the marketing expertise and creative talents to help them be successful."

Call (734) 420-3508 for an appointment.



ERA Rymal Symes Co.

Kathy McLean & Pam Burke • ERA Rymal Symes

Novi • (248) 349-4550

Nineteen ninety-eight is an exciting year for Kathy McLean and Pamela Burke, Realtors at ERA Rymal Symes, Northville/Novi office.

"The decision to join our efforts was easy, we had many common elements. We're a strong team, both graduates of Michigan State University, both involved in our community and families, and both residents of the Northville/Novi area for 20 and 25 years."

Both Burke and McLean have had children in the Northville district and have recognized the importance of being involved with the district.

These women have been extremely effective Realtors, having achieved a combined volume of over \$50 million in sales. The partners recently took over the marketing of the Fox Hollow development in Northville Township. "We are extremely excited about this project. The development is a lovely enclave of 37 home sites on Beck Road.

In 1997 both women were honored as "first in customer satisfaction" by ERA. "We had an overall satisfaction rating of over 98 percent," McLean said. Why are they successful? Both consider themselves "people persons."

"Our overall goal is meeting our client's needs. Nothing makes us happier than seeing people in their dream homes," she added.

Their office is located at 22034 Novi Road, Novi. For more information call (248) 349-4550.

Robin Starnes • Powerplace Nutrition

Brighton (810) 227-5311

Robin Starnes and her staff at Powerplace Nutrition in Brighton have the products, knowledge and experience to get even novice health enthusiasts started down the road to life-long habits of health and well being.

Robin, a Brighton resident since 1975, has been promoting good health in downtown Brighton for 14 years. Her interest in health and nutrition began while she was working as an associate in an area health store. Seven years ago she opened Powerplace Nutrition, located at 421 Main Street across from the Great Harvest Bread Store, and since then has built a reputation for personal, knowledgeable and friendly service. "We spend personal time with everybody and we do our best to educate them," said Robin.

Shelly Asslin, Robin's assistant, agrees. She is is a great help to Robin in the store, offering her experience in many health-related areas to customers. She is a certified massage therapist and aromatherapist, and is also a student of nutrition. Shelly will soon be giving classes in aromatherapy. Additional classes are offered throughout the year which focus on various health-related issues, and are over-seen by Robin, including Itidology with Kathleen Barker.

Powerplace boasts the largest selection of essential oils in the Eastern part of the United States. They also carry an extensive selection of vitamins, herbs, homeopathic remedies, sports supplements and natural beauty and skin care products. For inquiries call or visit Powerplace Nutrition.



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Cyndi Robinson, Real Estate One

Cyndi Robinson • Real Estate One

Milford (248) 684-1065

Cyndi Robinson of Real Estate One in Milford knows a lot of people will be looking to buy or sell their homes this season. "It's spring, and they're popping up like tulips," she said.

She knows that selecting the right real estate agent is important and can save thousands of dollars. Customers have every right to expect excellence from a real estate agent, an individual who outperforms others, she says. As an agent, her goal is to help home owners clear the obstacles they may encounter when selling their home or finding a new home.

Robinson attributes her success in real estate to honesty, consistency, dedication and determina-

"I don't give up. I work for the seller's equity, I live in this area, I want the value up because it affects my property value," she said.

These characteristics have earned her respect as an agent and recognition within her company. At a recent awards ceremony at the Ritz-Carlton in Dearborn, she was named the top producer for Real Estate One in Milford, with more than \$11 million in sales. Last year alone she listed 73 homes and sold 63.

Her productivity has also earned her the President's Circle Award for over \$10 million in sales and a Quality Service Award, presented from results of customer satisfaction surveys. She was recently ranked No. 9 in the company out of over 900 associates.

Most real estate agents agree, when you're looking for a home, find an agent who knows the community and lives there themself.

"The local agent knows best about the community, better than somebody from out of the area," said Robinson, who has been a resident of the Milford/Highland area for the past 22 years. "I do know this area. I've lived here for years."



One way that she uses her knowledge and experience is

to make a home book for each listing. This might include information about the community, such as schools, churches and a community profile. This helps to familiarize the family with the area. It also helps other real estate agents who may be showing the listing.

Robinson's primary clientele includes the lakes area, covering Highland, Milford, White Lake, Commerce, Wixom and Hartland.

Look for her on local cable TV real estate programs on Channel 12 or visit her web site at www.numberone.com/highland.

Cyndi is also very involved in the community in which she works. This year she is taking part in Christmas in April, working alongside her husband, Darrell, an electrical engineer and licensed Realtor, and her children, Adam, 15, and Vanessa, 13.

If you're in the market to buy or sell residential, retail, new construction or lakefront properties in the lakes area, contact Cyndi Robinson at Real Estate One in Milford, 560 North Main Street in Milford. Or call (248)684-1065. Her pager number is (248) 745-2063. (248) 333-1211 VM/PG.



Sharon Sinelli • Valley Style

Milford (248) 684-4999

Unique is the word that best describes Sharon Sinelli's Milford store, Valley Style.

Open five months, Valley Style houses a truly special selection of accessories for your home. "This is my first venture and what I hoped to create was a store where every item was something that you would not find anywhere else," Sinelli said.

And to that end, Sinelli spent much of her time prior to opening the store looking for those specialty items.

She found them.

Valley Style offers a taste of antique furniture, stylized baskets, hand-painted furniture accents, glassware, twig trees, wall hangings, books, pillows, place mats, cards, gift wrap, and, if you can believe it, more

Tracy Porter textiles fill the walls, a line of Carol Endres' items are available as are Louisville Stoneware and Rowe Pottery. One of Sinelli's favorites is her line of Burts Bees — all natural perfumes, lip balms, skin products and gardening products.

Also available is Green Glass, a specialty glassware made from recycled wine bottles. "It is truly unique, and the colors are beautiful," she added.

She also has one-of-a-kind jewelry and will be adding antique jewelry soon.

Located at 436 N. Main, Milford, the store is currently open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. These hours will most likely change during the summer. So plan a visit soon or call ahead (248) 684-4999.

Mary Poole • Poole's Tavern

Northville (248) 349-1715

Every community needs a place to go to meet the neighbors. In Northville, that place is Poole's Tavern. Mary Poole opened Poole's Tavern with her husband Richard in November 1997. She and her husband pursued the downtown Main Street site where Poole's Tavern sits for 10 years before finally purchasing it.

Mary, who is currently working on her degree in fine arts, has always wanted to own a tavern. She and Richard envisioned a comfortable place where local people could kick back, relax and enjoy a beer and a burger after a hard day's work.

Poole's is a family owned and operated business; all three of Mary's daughters help out. Lauren, 20, manages nights at Poole's; Melissa, 19, battends on weekends; and Jessica, 15, helps out in the kitchen. Poole's boasts a full-service bar, complete with all the premium liquors, as well as lunch and dinner menu.

The Poole's have been Northville residents for 24 years and know the community well. One of the reasons for opening Poole's Tavern was so that they could add something to Northville's downtown atmosphere.

"It's very rewarding in the sense that you meet a lot of people in the community," said Mary. "And also in another sense, I really enjoy creating the atmosphere here at Poole's. I love planning the business and making it all come together."





Mary Mansour • Read It Again Books

Novi (248) 474-6066

Opportunity knocked three years ago for Read It Again Books store owner Mary Mansour—and she hasn't looked back. "I was scared yet thrilled at the same time. We did our homework, we knew we wanted this location, but it was still nerve racking," Mansour said.

The store has exceeded her expectations. Read It Again Books specializes in used books, paper-back and hardback, and also offers new books and rentals. The shelves are stacked with nearly 40,000 titles.

If you can't find the book you're looking for, don't despair. Mary and her co-worker Dawna Bennett will find it for you. "Service is the key. We do our best to help you," she added.

If it's a new book you want, she can get it.

It it's a specialty book, she will try to find it. If you only remember the color of the cover — well, they can come pretty close. Avid readers, both feel their passion for books helps customers."We can recommend books because we've read them. Sometimes customers just are not sure what they want; we can help them out," she added.

A corner of the shop has even been set aside for high profile collectibles. Star Trek books and romance novels are among those sought by collectors. Focus is placed on local authors, and book signings are common. A newsletter is planned to let customers know about those important upcoming events.

Read It Again Books is located at 39733 Grand River, Novi. Used books are accepted on trade and new books are discounted.

Kathy Peters, Margie Wells and Gail Turner Real Estate One

Northville (248) 348-6430

Experience counts and Kathy Peters, Margie Wells, and Gail Turner have that experience. Each of them is a multi-million dollar producer yearly and all are certified relocation specialists.

Whether buying or selling, they work hard through Real Estate One's Northville office to make each transaction worry free.

Call "The Team" for all your real estate needs. Covering new construction and existing homes in Wayne, Oakland and Livingston counties.

Call today, you won't be disappointed, they take your needs seriously. at (810) 348-6430.



Ann Markstrom • The Garden Spot

Brighton (810) 227-5214

Armed with an engineering degree and a strong desire to be her own boss, Ann Markstrom opened her own business nearly two and a half years ago — the Garden Spot Restaurant in downtown Brighton.

While working for an environmental consulting company, she took a weekend job at a local country club as saute cook to relieve stress. She liked it so well that she made the decision to open her own restaurant. "Starting my own business was the easiest part for me," said Markstrom. "I've enjoyed cooking since I was young, it's always been a hobby of mine."

Markstrom chose Brighton for the location of the Garden Spot because of its downtown appeal and growing population. The business is growing steadily and on any day, Monday through Sunday, customers can sit and enjoy the comfortable and casual atmosphere of the Garden Spot while dining on a healthier and lighter menu.

Stir-fry, cooked to order and prepared in the dining room (evenings only), along with sandwiches have been added to the original menu of soups and salad. The Garden Spot boasts the largest salad bar in Brighton. Daily specials using Great Harvest Breads are available also. Saturdays and Sundays feature brunch with potatoes, eggs, sweet rolls, bagels, mustins, meats and omelets.

The Garden Spot is open 10:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday from 10:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, and from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sundays. The restaurant, located in a beautifully restored building constructed in 1873, sits right next the railroad tracks on Main Street, with private parking behind the building.

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Julie Kempainen, Editorial



Dr. Mary Elizabeth Rupp

Novi (248) 473-8580

Dr. Mary Elizabeth Rupp offers the personalized medical service and individual attention of a small town practice without sacrificing the professionalism and experience of larger practices.

Dr. Rupp recently joined Dr. Robert Brateman who has been providing the Novi area with preventative and routine medical care since 1989.

A primary advantage of family practice is that it streamlines your family's medical needs through a single provider. Having a trained professional look at the whole person's medical history allows the doctor to provide more complete and effective treatment. "You don't need a separate doctor for internal medicine, a pediatrician for the kids and an OB/GYN," said Dr. Rupp. "We treat generations of families for a whole range of problems.

Family practice is a family tradition for Dr. Rupp. A Michigan resident, she grew up watching her father's family practice. Friendly, caring and a good listener, she enjoys the variety of family practice, treating each patient as she would like to be treated. A mother of three, she knows how it feels to have a sick child who needs immediate help.

Patient care is first priority with Dr. Rupp. "It's paramount that my patients know they can reach me when they need something."

Dr. Rupp is a member of the AMA and the American Academy of Family Practice and has privileges at Providence Hospital in Southfield. The Novi office is located at 24230 Karim Blvd., Suite

Pam Sedlmeyer • Executive Florals & The Copper Garden

Wixom (248) 960-6193

Pam Sedlmeyer, owner of Executive Floral and The Copper Garden, has taken the artistry of flower arrangements to a new level. "I don't consider myself a conventional florist. I like to bring something special to my work. I personalize it by listening to my customers, and doing the best I can to please them," Sedlmeyer said.

With 25 years of experience in the arts and in retail business, Sedlmeyer has been floral designing for the past 10 years.

Her shop at 50394-D Pontiac Trail in Wixom is an eclectic display of her craft.

Her love of copper led her to design garden pieces which complement her floral background. She has expanded this art to include unique accessories for the entire home. "Although unique it is very affordable. I pride myself in offering reasonable rates to my customers. I want customers to smile, relax and enjoy themselves here," she added.

No job is too small or too big for Sedlmeyer who works with silk, dried and fresh flowers. Delivery service is available and she will gladly assist you with planning special events. A member of the American Floral Association and the Society for American Florists, Sedlmeyer is deeply involved in her community and is proud of her affiliation with the Interlakes Chamber of Commerce. When time allows, Sedlmeyer enjoys taking flowers to nursing homes bringing joy to those in need.





Anne Marie Bond and Karen Cirka • Visions Salon

Novi (810) 344-9944

With today's hectic lifestyle, wouldn't it be nice to go to a place where everything is focused on your comfort and well-being? A place to relax and enjoy services that pamper your body from head to toe? Such an oasis does exist. Visions Salon provides the services and the level of attention you

For friends and colleagues Anne Marie Bond and Karen Cirka, it was the desire to provide a complete health and beauty service that led them to establish Visions Salon 10 years ago. Both skilled hairstylists, each with 17 years of experience, they saw a demand for service that focused on the individual. Visions offers the latest treatments and outstanding personal attention. Anne Marie and Karen are very active in the salon, and it is their commitment to provide a unique and individualized experience that keeps the salon at the forefront.

Visions offers a range of services that lets you pamper your whole body. From the latest hairstyles to make-up application and lessons, body waxing and electrolysis to eyelash or eyebrow-tinting, you will find 32 specialists ready to serve you at Visions. Aromatherapy, massages, manicures, and pedicures are also available. A full range of facial treatments lets you cleanse, tone, and beautify your skin. "We strive to be a one-stop source," says Anne Marie. "We offer everything a person needs to look and feel their best."

The industry in which Visions operates is one where success is built upon reputation. Referrals are the major part of new business. Your comfort is always the most important aspect of service. While you are at Visions, the focus is totally on you.

Julie Spohr • Poi Photos

South Lyon (248) 446-0415

Iulie Spohr, owner of Poi Photo in South Lyon, is breaking new ground in the portrait studio arena.

"I like to capture the personalities of the people I take pictures of. This is a relaxed and informal studio, and I want my customers to feel comfortable," Spohr explained.

Located at 228 S. Lafayette for the past eight months, Spohr brings 15 years of photography experience to her studio.

Poi Photo is a full-service lab and portrait studio. Along with film processing and printing, reprints, slides, color enlargements, black and white processing and enlargements, Spohr also offers video taping service, photo restoration, retouching and passport photos. She is also available for commercial, location and product shooting.

"I also do graduation pictures - most seniors schedule their own sittings now - and, of course, special events including weddings, engagements and christenings," she added. New trends include more black-and-white photography and family portraits that include family pets, "having your picture taken should be fun too," Spohr said.

Proofs are available one hour after a sitting and photo packages are complete within two to three days. For more information on Poi Photo call 248-446-0415.





Denise Klingbeil, Lori Derrick • The Village Peddler

Milford (248) 684-0666

Everyone knows the Village Peddler can be counted on for unique, beautiful gifts and accents for the home, but when it comes to being counted on, there is another area at which this shop excels—stationary.

Owner Denise Klingbeil has experienced a tremendous response from the public to the shop's truly unique variety of party and special occasion invitations and accessories.

"Everything in here is unusual. The shop is not what you would call a typical gift shop," said Denise. The Village Peddler specializes in wedding invitations, anniversaries, graduation, birth announcements and children's stationary, although they can do almost anything. Denise points out the importance of starting children in the habit of writing thank-you's.

It's not only the choices customers have, or the peaceful alcove in the back of the store that makes the choosing so pleasant, it's the unparalleled service.

Invitation etiquette is crucial and many people don't know the proper wording and structure. For every frazzled bride-to-be, for every eager first-time mother, there is Lori Derrick.

They also offer personalized Christmas cards. The turnaround time for birth announcements is 7 working days, for all other stationary, it is 7-14 days.

The Village Peddler is at 367 N. Main St. in Milford, and is open Monday through Friday 10 to 6 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Linda Dettore • Linda's Hair & More

Novi (248) 349-0730

For Linda Dettore, owner of Linda's Hair and More, a recent move has made a big difference in her business. "It helps us meet our customers' needs," Dettore said.

Linda's Hair and More is now in a more convenient location in the Peach Tree Plaza on Meadowbrook Road in Novi. The new facility is larger, which means more room for facials, waxing and massage treatments. Along with the latest trends in hair styling, Dettore now likes to think of her salon as everything under one roof. "We are very family-oriented and have a lot of fun. Our clients, neighbors and friends might just stop in for a cup of coffee and a quick visit," she said.

Despite the fun, Dettore is serious about her services. "Our stylists are in constant training. We keep up with what's new. And what really thrills me is that I now feel we have a great team here. Everyone pulls together and helps out," Dettore said.

She is currently looking to add a stylist and is seeking the right masseuse.

Dettore has two nail technicians which she considers the best in the business adding that they are thorough and meticulous.

Customers can afford to get their hair done at Linda's. "Our prices are reasonable," she said. Hours are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For appointments call 248-349-0730.



Bette Wilton Nasholm • Certified Public Accountant

Milford (248) 685-1615

Helping people keep their money is what Bette Nasholm likes to do. A CPA in the Milford area for 28 years, Nasholm began her career as a part time bookkeeper and went on to earn a degree from Walsh College of Accountancy.

"I enjoy helping people. Whether it's setting up a small business or financial planning or taxes, it's great when I can assist in answering their questions," said Nasholm.

Helping others rolls over into her private life as well. Always willing to lend a hand at community events and volunteering her time when needed just comes natural to Bette. "I really like my community and want to be a part of it," she added.

A member of the Chamber of Commerce, a deacon of her church and treasurer of the Milford Area Recreational Trail Committee, Nasholm stays pretty busy when not at work. She is also working on her masters degree. "Financial planning is an interest of mine which I'm pursuing. Consulting with people about their future can be very rewarding. I also enjoy new business planning. I encourage clients to come in for a working session. We talk it through, and they can do much of the work themselves. It will save them a great deal of money," Bette said.

A new federal confidentiality law lets you confide your money secrets and fears to your accountant, "and I think it's great. They can cry on my shoulder and nothing they say will ever leave the office. When people talk about money — it's stressful," she added.

Bette currently has a toll free number for customers living in the Wixom, Walled Lake, New Hudson and Novi areas, 1-800-469-2272. Her Milford office is located at 2288 Childs Lake Road.

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Lupe Frisby-Wheatley • ERA Rymal Symes

South Lyon (248) 437-3800

Multi-million dollar producer Lupe Frisby-Wheatley has been selling real estate for five years and recently joined the team at ERA Rymal Symes in South Lyon.

"It is so important to make the buying and selling transaction as easy as possible and that's my goal. I want it to be a pleasant experience for everyone," Frisby-Wheatley said.

A homeowner in the South Lyon community, Frisby-Wheatley sees herself as a people person, committed and determined to help her clients.

"The new technology helps us help our clients. We can answer your questions about a community instantly and this aids in our goal to provide the best customer service possible," she added.

Her phone calls are important and she prides herself in returning every single one — "I tell my clients I either didn't get the call or I'm dead. Their questions are important; their concerns are important, I'm here for them," she said.

Frisby-Wheatley and her husband, Dennis, who is a part-time associate at the office, have teamed up to offer their best to their clients. "We are here for you," Frisby-Wheatley said. "This makes it easier for us to be available to our clients 24-hours of the day," she added.

Pat Steele • Margret Hunters

Brighton (810) 227-7107

The original Margaret Hunter, a clothing proprietor who lived in the late 18th century, was a savvy, proud and intelligent businesswoman — perhaps among the first of her kind. Pat Steele, owner of Margret Hunters in Brighton, named her boutique in honor of the original Margaret. She wishes to carry on in the fine tradition of Margaret.

Over the years, customers have relied on Margret Hunter's for fine quality clothing and accessories. Styles and designs are always fresh, as Pat spends a fair amount of her time traveling to New York, Chicago. Atlanta and Dallas each season to find the latest in fashion trends. "We bring in new lines each season," she said.

The clothing Margret Hunter's features is known for its design and quality. The Robert Scott/David Brooks clothing line is excellent for casual dressing, and Austin Reed career wear, in sizes misses to petite women, is an English line of clothing perfect for the distinguished career woman. For sweater dressing, Margret Hunter's offers Icelandic and Planet Earth along with the whimsical P.B.J. In the fall they will be carrying the new line of Wooded River coats and, as always, they carry Brighton handbags and belts.

In the near future Pat will be expanding Margret Hunter's, and also has plans to remodel the rear of the store to make it more visually pleasing.

Pat said the Brighton community has embraced her store since it opened, and she couldn't be more thrilled. "Our customers are wonderful; and the city has been so great. They really go out of their way to attract new businesses," she said.



Shyrlee Prince • NBD Bank

Highland (248) 887-3707

Shyrlee Prince, vice president of NBD Bank in Highland, has been climbing the ladder of success in her company for 32 years. In that time she has earned an impressive reputation for customer satisfaction, personal service and a comprehensive knowledge of the banking industry.

Prince first joined NBD Bank as a teller in 1966 — a job that was only supposed to be temporary. Prince discovered a talent for banking and enjoyed serving customers, so she decided to stay. Since that time she has served as head teller, customer service representative, assistant branch manager and utility manager. She has been at the Highland branch for nine years.

"I have a lot of self-satisfaction as a result of where I am and what I'm doing today," says Prince.
"I'm very thankful to the corporation for leaving me in this capacity."

Prince, a long-time Highland area resident, is quick to note her favorite aspect of the job. "I truly love working with people," she said.

That love for the community in which she works has spilled over into her spare time activities. Shyrlee is very community active. She is a member of both the Huron Valley Chamber and the Highland Business Association, she has chaired both the Huron Valley Business Expo and the Highland Business Association's Senior Breakfast, is treasurer of Milford Memories and has served on the Board of Directors for Christmas in April. "I feel very fortunate," said Prince. "Highland is a great community."



Lisa Shapiro & Edna Burg • Center Stage Dance Co.

Northville (248) 380-1666

The mother-daughter team of Edna Burg and Lisa Shapiro is preparing to celebrate its 10th anniversary of teaching young people the pleasures of dance. "Seeing all the kids grow over the years has been very rewarding," said Lisa, or "Miss Lisa" as she is known by her students.

Center Stage Dance Co. was established in 1988 in Walled Lake and moved to Northville in 1992. Teaching in Northville has proven to be a great pleasure for Lisa, who directs the company along with her staff of 13. Edna, her mother, serves as office manager and also manages the in-house dance apparel shop. While the energy focus of many dance studios is on competitions, Shapiro has chosen to take a different route by planning special events to share students' talents with the community. Lisa has made community involvement a focus for her students by touring various area homes for senior citizens and children and performing for them. They also take active part in entertaining during the Northville Sidewalk Sale and the 4th of July parade.

Center Stage's biggest annual event is the June recital, where dancers dazzle audiences with routines in ballet, tap, pom-pon and jazz. A highlight of the June performance is the Daddy/Daughter Dance, in which fathers and daughters together perform a group number. The event began five years ago as part of the June recital with a few participants, and since then has experienced growth of over 100 fathers and daughters together on stage.

Center Stage offers classes year-round for students ages three and up.





Kim Rivera • New Moon Visions

Milford (248) 684-8668

Inventive unique eye-catching. All are reasons why you should call New Moon Visions in Milford when you need a new corporate identity that stands out from the rest.

Kim Rivera has established a reputation in Milford for creating positive and successful images for businesses.

"A corporation's public image starts with its corporate identity — through its logo, and all the information it presents to the public," said Rivera, who designs logos for new businesses or gives current logos a fresh, new look.

Rivera's recent graphic work includes the banners and materials for the "Meet Me in Milford" campaign with the DDA, the 1996 and 1998 Milford Memories T-Shirt designs, 1997 Harvest Ball design, Great American Pizza logo, and the Appe'teaser ads, menus and cards. "I strive for the business's success and like to create the best solution/design for each job," Rivera said.

Animation for television commercials and company videos is a new part of Rivera's business. She is excited about the graphic potential animation offers. "It's an imaginative way to project your image and message to the audience."

Rivera, who established her business eight years ago, is located at 342 N. Main Street, Suite D, in downtown Milford. She's a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Milford and Highland Business Associations and Rotary. She can be reached at (248) 684-8668 or by fax at (248) 684-8570. Visit her web site at www.newmoon.net.

Suzanne Jonna • Suzanne's Main Street Dance

Milford (248) 685-3054

It has been an exciting year for students at Suzanne's Main Street Dance Centre in Milford. Her resident dance company was invited to perform at Disneyworld in Orlando, "and it was an experience of a lifetime," said owner and director Suzanne Jonna.

The company is just one of several programs included in the school's curriculum. Classes are offered in ballet, pointe, jazz, tap, Checchetti ballet, lyrical and hip-hop dance, Hawaiian dance and aerobics. "All our instructors are adults, highly trained and professional. And that is extremely important," Jonna said.

She has been teaching for 12 years and has a Bachelor of Fine Arts in dance. A former member of the Detroit City Ballet Company and Macomb Ballet Company, Jonna has also performed with Dance Detroit and with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra. She continues her professional career by working as a performer and choreographer for many of the leading talent agencies in the Detroit area.

"It's something that I just love doing. Dance is both physical and mental, but it is also fun. But we do stress education and technique, it is the foundation of dance," Jonna said.

Classes are offered to both beginners and advanced from three years of age to adult. Guest teachers and master classes are also held along with an annual recital production.

"We also like to participate in local functions — parades, community shows and dance conventions. Our trip to Disneyworld was like the frosting on the cake. We auditioned and met the very high standard set by them. I'm very proud of our company," she added.



Terry Winterhalter • AAA Bruce Kaier

Milford (248) 685-7000

AAA agent Bruce H. Kaier in Milford specializes in personal insurance. His licensed solicitor, Terry Winterhalter, specializes in people.

As a sales specialist, Terry believes in listening to her clients and tailoring their polices to their needs. "Everyone needs insurance," she said. "It's up to me to help them understand why."

She fills her clients' needs by getting to know them and developing a personal relationship. "I really love helping people," she said. She knows her product and strives to help her clientele get the coverage they need at a price they can afford. "We look at the whole picture — travel, auto, home, boat, life and membership."

In addition to her dedication toward her career, Terry helps out the community she loves in other ways. Every spring you can find her planting flowers on Main Street in Milford. "I never miss it. It's just something I love to do."

Terry is also secretary for the Fraternal Order of Eagles, a local organization that raises funds for charities, throws Christmas parties for kids who would have no holiday otherwise and delivers food baskets to people in need.

"The greatest thing about this community," Terry said, "is its willingness to help anyone who needs it. That's what I love being a part of."



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Lisa Rohkohl, Advertising



Debbie MacDonald • Northville Diamond Jewelers

Northville (248) 348-6417

Since 1984, Debbie McDonald and her husband, Alan LaVine, have been building a reputation as the source for diamond jewelry in the Northville area.

Debbie's interest in the jewelry business grew from Alan, who had 17 years prior experience in retail jewelry. When they decided to go into the business for themselves, they began by hosting gold parties for friends and family members. Their first store was opened in a small space on E. Cady in 1984.

Since that time, they have moved to their current location on the corner of Hutton and Main St. in downtown Northville, where they have been for 10 years. In 1993 they expanded Northville Diamond Jewelers to 2,575 square feet to widen their selection of gold and diamonds and to meet the increasing community demand for diamond jewelry. In addition, they have built a second location, South Lyon Diamond & Gold Mine in downtown South Lyon.

This year Debbie and her husband received their most precious jewel, but this one isn't for sale. Calee Lynn LaVine, born January 29th, 1998 at 4 lbs., 8 oz., is the newest addition to the family. Debbie now enjoys being a stay-at-home mom for both daughter Calee and son Colin, 8. Her office is set up in Calee's room so she can still work, yet enjoy every minute of being near to her children.

"Calee's like a little gift," says Debbie. "She's a precious gift and I hate to be away from her. They're only little once, and there's nothing that can compare with that."

Diane O'Neill • Baby Baby

Northville (248) 347-2229

With over 3,700 square feet of space, Baby Baby is brimming with all kinds of the latest products at very affordable prices. If you are looking for a solid oak crib, you may find one priced between \$59 and \$99. Also available are coordinated crib bedding sets, such as Classic Pooh, changing tables, bassinets and other items for your baby's nursery.

What's always in demand are battery-operated swings, infant car seats, play pens and exersaucers.

The maternity department carries a great selection of career wear bearing the brand names Pea in the Pod, Miami Maternity and Mother's Work, to name a few. Most of the fashions are in excellent condition because of the short time period they are worn.

Clothes in excellent condition are available at a fraction of their original cost. For example, a two-piece Mimi suit purchased new for \$179 sells at Baby Baby for approximately \$59.

There are many promotions to showcase consignor's clothes. The biggest event is the fall fashion preview, held this year July 13. Every year customers choose from popular back-to-school brands such as Polo, Gap, Gymboree, Hartstrings, Nautica, OshKosh and much more. The wide selection and bargains continue throughout the year with such events as the Winter Coat/Snowsuit Preview, the Halloween Preview and the Winter Holiday Preview.

New consignors are always welcome, no appointment is necessary. Consignors receive 50 percent of the selling price, and as an extra bonus, 10 percent off all purchases. There is a separate children's play area to entertain them while mom shops.



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Priscilla Watts & Val Potts • Prudential Preview Properties Builders Showcase

Brighton (810) 220-1481

Need a home and thinking of new construction? Priscilla Watts and Val Potts, Realtors with Prudential Preview Properties in Brighton, intend to make it easy for you.

Builders Showcase, a novel concept in new construction buying, is being spearheaded by the two associates. Its purpose is to create a one-stop resource center for the buyer looking at new construction. "In the past, it has been difficult for buyers looking to build a home. There can be so many obstacles. So we have created a data base that has the information they need on vacant land, spec homes, and custom homes," Potts said.

Checking out zoning and restrictions, deciding if a perk test is needed, getting inspections, these are some of the questions that may have to be answered when looking at vacant land.

New home sales in Livingston County have increased 50 percent, yet there was no central place to find that information. "Many new homes and subdivisions are not accessible through the Multiple Listing Service so buyers may not be aware of them, Potts said.

Watts and Potts can also assist with financial questions — where to start and how to get a loan. Both are Certified New Home Sales Professionals (CSP) and Accredited Buyer Representatives (ABR). As full time agents they continue to work with residential homes as well. Both have lived in the Brighton area for many years. "Our commitment is to our customers. We deliver excellence in real estate experience, knowledge and service," Potts said.

Margo Kramar & Cam Furmanek Margo's of Northville Northville (248) 348-9130

Owners Margo and Cam are proud to pay tribute to the staff who make their company prosper. Educated in the latest concepts, technique and product, the dynamic team at Margo's of Northville provides professional, dedicated and friendly service.

Each staff member is skilled and knowledgeable in all aspects of client services.

- Kris, a stylist and instructor, has a unique understanding and sharp eye for color and detail which leads her to specialize in skin care and makeup.
- Melanie left a successful restaurant ownership to pursue becoming a talented cosmetologist. Her communication skills allow her to design and create the appropriate style for each client.
- Liz brings experience, dedication and a strong motivation in creative cutting, coloring, perming, styling, make-up and wig styling.
- Dawn has a friendly and caring attitude which enhances her ability to be a senior citizen specialist.
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- Bill, experienced in mens' services, offers early morning hours and a private room for discreet men. He is a master at customized gray blending and partial perming techniques, adding fullness to thinning hair.
- Jennifer is an experienced nail tech specializing in all aspects of nail care and design. She provides aromatherapy, music and a stress-relieving hydrotherapy spa pedicure and foot & leg massage.





Casandra Spangle • Brighton Honda Mazda

Brighton (810) 227-5552

Casandra Spangle knows a good car when she sees it.

This keen knowledge of automobiles and her impressive ability to put customers at ease has led her to Brighton Honda Mazda at 8704 W. Grand River in Brighton.

Casandra admits she has always had a love for cars. "I love selling sports cars," she laughs.

Casandra has over six years experience working in various arenas in the automotive field. She began her career working in the body shop of a Ford dealership. From there she was promoted to customer relations coordinator, but her desire to work in sales is what pushed her to Brighton Honda Mazda. She began her career in sales working for her mentor and current employer, Jeanne Jones, at Sunshine Acura. From there she followed Jeanne to Brighton Honda Mazda to continue her career.

"Honda Mazda had probably one of the best cars on the market, so I wanted to capitolize on the opportunity as soon as I could," she explained.

Casandra has a reputation for personal service. Her love for people drives her to be the best she can be. Casandra recalls her fondest memory of working in sales so far — the first time she sold a young customer her first cat. "There was sheer joy on her face ... it made me feel good to know I helped somebody and made them feel good."

Casandra is very experienced in the area of financing and can work with customers and handle all financing needs.

Jeanne Audette-Jones • Brighton Honda Mazda

Brighton (810) 227-5552

Jeanne Audette-Jones is distinctly defined in the Livingston County business community as the county's only woman auto dealer. Jeanne owns and actively operates Brighton Honda-Mazda located at 8704 Grand River in Brighton.

Brighton Honda-Mazda has continually grown under the watchful eye of Audette-Jones. The success should be no surprise considering Jones' background. She has been in the auto business for over 20 years learning her trade from family members at Audette Cadillac and subsequently running operations for the Sunshine group.

As a woman auto dealer, Jeanne knows of the advantage women have in her career field. Often women are the key decision makers in auto purchasing decisions, and Jeanne has found that many women sales associates help put customers at ease.

Jones is currently looking very aggressively to attract more women into the business. "Women are very successful in this industry and I take a lot of pride in helping them obtain their goals," she says.



Carol Wilkop, D.D.S. • Milford Village Dentist

Milford (248) 685-2035

Dr. Carol Wilkop wants to keep you smiling beautifully.

Dr. Wilkop's practice, the Milford Village Dentist, is currently located downtown above Great American Pizza at 342 North Main. The location has a great deal of Milford history. A dental office since 1953, Dr. Wilkop has practiced there for the past 10 years, providing state of the art dentistry in a warm, stress-free, caring environment.

Dr. Wilkop and her staff provide personal attention and excellent care. Updated cosmetic procedures allow them to create beautiful smiles. With the new white filling and bleaching procedures, perfect teeth are possible for everyone. A licensed pharmacist, Dr. Wilkop said she chose to become a dentist because "... I love dentistry. I enjoy teaching people how to improve their oral health. I have a great deal of patience with children."

For the last nine years, she has visited area preschools and elementary schools, teaching oral health during Children's Dental Health month in February. Dr. Wilkop also utilizes her professional expertise, judging Dog Breath during Milford Memories' Mutt-A-Rama, which she helps organize.

If your smile is in need of excellent care call Dr. Wilkop's office at (810) 685-2034. Office hours are Monday 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Tuesday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Wednesday noon to 8 p.m., Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and the first Saturday of the month by appointment.

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Sara Isaacs White, Editorial



Milford Memories

Milford (248) 685-7129

Over the years, the historic Village of Milford has become known for its fine restaurants, its unique shopping district and its small-town hospitality.

That tradition will be honored during the seventh annual Milford Memories festival held in downtown Milford this summer.

Milford Memories is by far the biggest event held in the village and attracts people from all over to join in the celebration of Milford's history.

This year some of the festival highlights will include showcasing the art of nearly 200 artists, a river raft race, live entertainment of all types, a basket auction and a reenactment of a Civil War encampment. The board of directors for Milford Memories does its best to maintain Milford's history throughout the festival.

Milford Memories would not exist if not for the hard work and dedication of its Board of Directors, mainly comprised of prominent women who are active in the community.

The Milford Memories Board of Directors includes Nancy Weeks, president, who has been a part of planning the festival since the first year it began; Shyrlee Prince, vice president; Karen Smith, Joan Spiroff, Ann Bergstrom, Rockell Brown and Jennifer Hill, who is the festival coordinator.

Says Hill, "I find great satisfaction in creating something that gives everyone such pleasure and also gives back to the community. It carries you throughout the year."

Milford Memories is to be held during mid-summer. Call (248) 685-7129 for more information concerning the festival.

Maundy Miller • Heirloom Oriental Rugs

Brighton (810) 227-4751

It's the years of experience that Mondy Miller, owner of Heirlooms Oriental Rugs and Accessories in Brighton, brings to her business. And that experience translates into trust.

"I grew up with rugs; we lived with them on an everyday basis. I only carry quality rugs and my customers know that I stand behind every rug I sell. That makes the difference," Miller said.

She recently moved her business to 307 W. Main Street, and the additional space has allowed her to expand her inventory. A second room enables her to display a wide selection of new rugs and antique look-a-likes made with vegetable dyes and hand-spun wool. "This technique makes the rugs look antique," she added.

There is a renewed interest in oriental rugs today and for that reason Miller makes a point of educating customers about rugs before even considering buying one. "I like to spend a lot of time with my customers, talking with them and finding out exactly what they want. I also want to explain how the rug is made, what the differences are in the different types of rugs. I think this is very important. They are then more comfortable with the choices they make," Miller said.

She is very aware of the negative publicity surrounding some oriental rug businesses and cautions customers to deal with someone they can trust.

The move into the new location also has allowed Miller to extend her business days. She is now open six days per week including Sundays. And she has introduced selected home accessories to her store as well.



Mary Ann Bond & Sandra Paaso Electrolysis Professional Clinic

Brighton (810) 227-3255

Making women feel good about themselves is the goal of Maryann Bond and Sandra Paaso, owners of Electrolysis Professional Clinic in Brighton.

The partners are both Certified Clinical Electrologists specializing in the removal of unwanted facial and body hair. The hair is permanently removed with only minimal discomfort.

"What's really important to us is that when women leave here they are happy. They look good and feel good about themselves," said Bond.

The best way to see if electrolysis is right for you is to take advantage of a complimentary consultation offered by the partners. "The technical procedure uses an ultra-fine sterile instrument to treat the hair root," Bond explained.

The technique is effective, and electrolysis is the only FDA-approved method recommended. They also stress that it is important for women who are looking at electrolysis to solve their problem to inquire whether the operator is licensed and certified to meet national standards.

Bond and Paaso have been practicing in the Brighton area for 15 years. Both of them are graduates of the Michigan Electrolysis School and members of the Michigan Electrology Association.

"We want you to feel comfortable and ask questions," they added.

Julie Moran • Wedding Pages Bride and Home Magazine Highland (248) 887-7242

Weddingpages Bride and Home Magazine is a great way for the prospective bride and area bridal services to connect. Published quarterly, Weddingpages helps with all areas of planning a wedding — from selecting a beautiful ring to planning the perfect reception to settling into your new home. As an a long-time Metropolitan native, Julie Moran, an Account Executive for Weddingpages, is able to focus on creating the best, local magazine that serves the needs of area brides.

Every bride wants to look her absolute best on her wedding day, and finding the gown that makes the bride look and feel her best is crucial. The editorial staff of Weddingpages travels to top shows in New York and Paris bringing the latest bridal fashions and where to find them to area brides.

Wedding Pages is also an excellent advertising resource for local businesses trying to tap into the wedding market. Weddingpages offers advertisers newsstand distribution, access on the internet, direct mail opportunities and exposure in our wedding planner. The Weddingpages planner is free to local brides simply by checking their website at www.weddingpages.com. As the former owner of Sherri's Graphics, Julie has a keen eye for detail and the ability to help advertisers promote the aspect of their business that makes them unique. She is meticulous in every aspect, incorporating the services of local graphic artists to create the artwork, layout and design of the ads.

Julie Moran cares about her clients and tries to help them increase their business through creating a marketing program that works. Her attention to detail, flair for design and strong communication skills maker her and Weddingpages a great match.



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Marty Ward • The Health Mart

Milford (248) 684-6278

Marty Ward's career in the health industry began with a grain of wheat.

"Marty Bread," as it has become known, is a home-baked 13 grain and seed health bread. The bread is still available — it's baked and sold at Colasanti's market in Highland.

However Marty, a Highland resident, has risen to bigger projects, opening her hugely successful health store, The Health Mart, in downtown Milford. The Health Mart has everything a person needs to begin and maintain an all-natural, holistic approach to healthy living. Marty carries a full supply of quality vitamin supplements, many health books, children's products, health foods and a large collection of homeopathic remedies to treat ailments from stomach aches to arthritis.

Marty and her friendly, educated staff of three — daughter Becca, Pat Smith and Barb Weitlauf — are knowledgeable about the products and able to answer many questions.

Marty aims to continually educate customers, bringing them the latest in alternative healing methods, as well as getting to know them as individuals. Her own interest in health issues began when she kicked her smoking habit and began to see the benefits of a healthy lifestyle. "If you can prevent a disease or a condition with alternative medicine, then let's try," said Marty.

The Health Mart is open Monday through Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday 9:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Michelle Kaiser • Mickey's Menagerie

South Lyon (248) 437-3279

Michele Kaiser has enjoyed working out of her home. But after 15 years, it was time to move on. For the past two years, Mickey's Menagerie has been located at 327 N. Lafayette, South Lyon.

Specializing in silk and dried flower arrangements, Kaiser's showroom is a testament to her art and creativity. Wedding flowers and custom home decorating are the focus of Kaiser's work. She creates wreaths, swags and table top arrangements, growing and drying many of her own plant materials in order to achieve just the right effect.

"For awhile, there was a trend away from silk flowers for weddings, but that seems to have reversed. I think it's because the quality of the silk flowers has improved so dramatically.

A new trend is the use of fruit in wall arrangements.

In the past, Kaiser has been the exclusive floral designer for the Miss Michigan USA and Miss Michigan Teen USA pageants and she maintains a very loyal following due to her reputation. "I have faithful customers and that has meant a great deal to me. I also believe my background in traditional flower arranging helps — it gives my arrangements a very natural look," Kaiser said.

Mail orders are also a part of her business and more recently she has been busy with staircase decorating — a Christmas must. But, now it's time to enjoy spring and summer and Kaiser will be busy creating silk flower arrangements for outside flower boxes.

For more information call (248) 437-3279 or visit Kaiser's web site at www.slyon.com/mick-eys.htm



Fitness Factory for you

Eighteen years ago, as aerobic instructors for the Red Wings and the Detroit Lions, Lori Gothard and Jill Dolik realized the importance of health

and fitness in everyday life and wanted to make fitness classes readily available and affordable to the general public. Thus, the idea of Fitness Factory was born.

Fitness Factory hosts fitness classes that emphasize the importance of overall health and nutrition in conjunction with exercise. They are held in community centers and adult education facilities across metro-Detroit, Northern Ohio, Massachusetts, Illinois and Indiana. Area communities include, but are not limited to:

Woodhaven, Grosse Pointe, Sterling Heights, Rochester, Farmington Hills, Lake Orion, Clarkston, Novi, Livonia, Canton, Westland and Allen Park.

Over 200 Fitness Factory certified instructors, who are also

trained in CPR, hold classes two to four times a week for 10 week sessions, year round. "The best part about these classes is that you develop a

relationship with the instructors as well as the other participants," said Gothard. "Although there is a short time commitment, if you miss a week, people care."

A variety of classes are offered including high/low impact aerobics, step, circuit training and low impact aerobics to meet many fitness needs. Morning, afternoon and evening time slots are available--some with babysitting services, some specially geared toward senior citizens. Miscellaneous workout equipment, apparel and Zone nutritional energy bars are available before and after class time at varying locations. If you are interested in becoming an instructor, learning more about corporate exercise programs or would like information about a class near you, call 248-353-2885.



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Deborah Kramer, hygienist, and Dr. Huckabee discuss treatment plan with patient.

Barbara H. Huckabee, D.D.S.

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Milford (248) 684-0042

Don't be fooled by the antique setting of Dr. Barbara Huckabee's office — the care she provides to patients is strictly state of the art.

Dr. Huckabee is a Family Practice Dentist and sees patients of all ages.

A Milford resident, she opened her practice in downtown Milford last year after working in the down-river community for a number of years. Her office is located at 402 Union Street in a beautifully restored Victorian home.

Dr. Huckabee notes that it was Milford's small-town atmosphere that attracted her to the community. She brings that same atmosphere into her practice, where patients are treated with great care in a calm and friendly manner.

"People expect dental care to be delivered in an up-todate environment, and therefore the patient care rooms are all designed with the newest dental systems." said Dr. Huckabee. "However the emphasis is placed on treating each patient as a person, not just a specific tooth or periodontal concern."

Dr. Huckabee and staff emphasize the importance of preventative care. They continually strive to educate patients on matters of good dental health.

One of the secrets to her success is creating a relaxing environment where patients can ask questions and not feel intimidated. "If you give patients enough information, they'll make the right choices," says Dr. Huckabee.

The staff at Dr. Huckabee's practice is continually edu-



Jackie Butt, Deborah Kramer and Dr. Barbara Huckabee greet patients in Milford

cated through classes and seminars in order to stay current on the latest technologies and procedures.

Dr. Huckabee's practice includes cosmetic dentistry—an area Huckabee particularly enjoys doing once teeth are restored to their healthy state.

Dr. Huckabee entered the dental field because she saw it as a way to combine her keen interest in biological sciences

with the enjoyment of working with people. She received her undergraduate degree from Wayne State University in 1974. She completed her Masters degree in Human Growth and Development from Wayne State in 1980 and is a 1985 graduate of the University of Michigan School of Dentistry.

Patients may call to make an appointment at (248) 684-0042.



Dental Assistant Jackle Butt in the sterilization lab



Jackie greets patient Rev. John Harris at the reception desk.

Without the dedicated professionalism of the women who are a part of our team, we wouldn't be where we are today. "They've played a great part in our success."

Michael Stanford, co-owner Varsity Lincoln Mercury



Varsity Lincoln Mercury

Novi (248) 305-5301

If there were Olympic games for automobile dealerships, Varsity Lincoln Mercury in Novi would certainly be a gold medalist.

Varsity has been hailed as the No. 1 Mercury dealership in the United States, a feat all the more remarkable in light of the fact that Varsity was only opened four years ago.

It isn't the only honor that has been bestowed upon the impressive Novi dealership. Varsity is also the recipient of the North American Customer Excellence Award, one of the highest recognitions in the Ford Motor Company.

There is something else that distinguishes Varsity Lincoln Mercury from other dealerships — it has the higher percentage of women sales and leasing team members than any of its competitors. Half the sales force is women. In fact, women make up 25 percent of the entire work force at Varsity Lincoln Mercury.

Although it is a fact that more women are entering the auto-sales industry than ever before, these figures are still distinctive, and certainly reflect the impressive capabilities of the women who make Varsity Lincoln the successful dealership that it has become.

Co-owner Michael Stanford firmly holds the philosophy that it takes a collective effort to achieve the type of success Varsity Lincoln Mercury has experienced, and wishes to show his appreciation to his entire staff, recognizing the significant contribution of his female associates.

"Without the dedicated professionalism of the women who are a part of our team, we wouldn't be where we are today," he says. "They've played a great part in our success."

Varsity Lincoln Mercury has women working in nearly every department, including the general office, leasing, financing, rentals, service center, parts and,

of course, sales. Six of the 25 managers at Varsity Lincoln Mercury are women. Although every female associate has a special reason for choosing to join the

team at Varsity Lincoln Mercury, most will agree that it's the positive working environment and positive relationships that played a role in attracting them.

"I think it's the management that drew me here. They are so in-tune with their employees," says sales assistant, Debbie Adams.

Sales associate Denise Harder admits that the dual demands of becoming a

good salesperson and maintaining a family are often very stressful, but for a woman who enjoys her work and is excellent at it, the effort is all worth it.

"The truth is, it takes certain personality types to have a career like this. You have to be highly motivated." says Denise. "But the customer feels more comfortable knowing they're in the same position you are — working and raising a family."

Finance Manager Heidi Jett describes the benefits of being a woman in the automotive sales business. "Most women feel comfortable dealing with female associates. Many times they are the primary decision makers when choosing an automobile."

Varsity Lincoln Mercury, located at Grand River and Wixom Road in Novi, opened four years ago in July of 1994, and is the first new Lincoln Mercury dealer in 25 years. Varsity is a modern dealership equipped with new and used car and truck depart-

ments

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The dealership is complete with a full auto-service center for maintenance and repair. In addition to an extensive slales team, Varsity has available to its customers parts, service and rental departments. Varsity also has an excellent financing program and offer warranties and extended service plans.

Although Varsity Lincoln Mercury has already distinguished itself, the dealership continues to record impressive achievements in sales and service. It's looking forward to even more success in the future.

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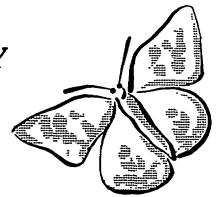
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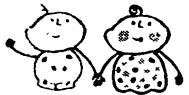
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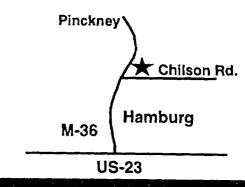
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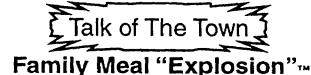
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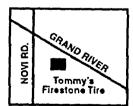


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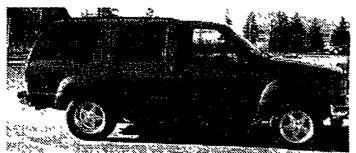
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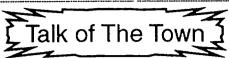
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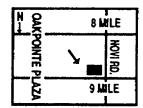
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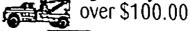
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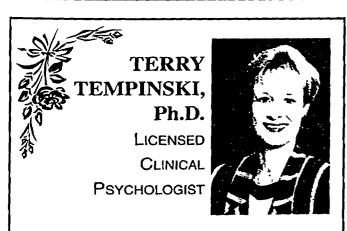
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women are learning more about cardiovascular disease



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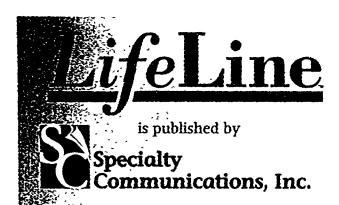
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Dear Readers,

Tust made an appointment with my doctor for a physical exam-weight, blood pressure, cholesterol levels, and so on. What prompted this conscientious move was researching the feature story on women and heart disease. I, like many women I know, tend to think of heart problems as men's domain. Boy, was I wrong!

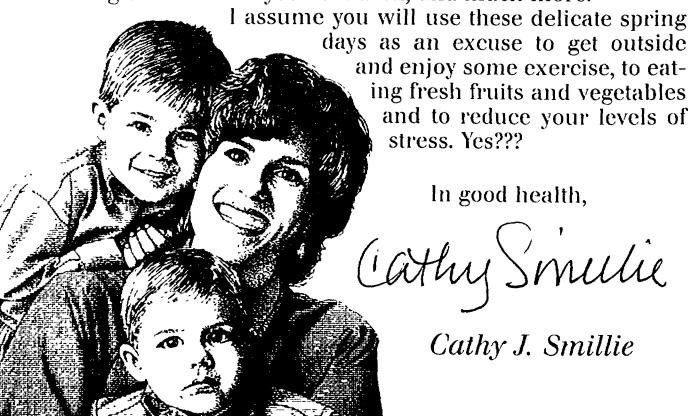
Coronary heart disease is every woman's concern. One in every 10 American women age 45 to 64 have some form of heart disease, and this increases to one in five women over age 65. Heart disease is the number one killer of American women age 65 and older. In addition, 1.6 million women have had a stroke, and 90,000 women die of strokes each year.

As a health care writer, I have access to untold amounts of information on diet, exercise, stress, and the importance of understanding "risk factors." I read and I write and I try to be convincing when I report statistics linking behavior with disease. But, do I translate this data into my own actions? Rarely.

But, this time things are different. My family history coupled with a number of unhealthy behaviors predisposes me to heart problems, and frankly, what I have discovered scares me. Please take the time to read this article carefully, and more importantly, take the time to understand your own risks-then do something about them.

The month of May includes Mother's Day, so to wish all mothers a healthy celebration, we've included some suggestions for healthy Mother's Day gifts.

Also included this month, new information on arthritis, suggestions for how you can talk to your doctor about menopause, hints for reducing conflict with your children, and much more.



Take heart:

women are learning more about cardiovascular disease

Then women reach "a certain age" and begin to worry about the signs of aging, the usual concerns include wrinkles around the eyes, sagging chins or jiggly thighs. When it comes to discussion about high cholesterol, blood pressure and chest pains, the conversation gets a little vague. After all, heart disease is something men need to worry about; heart attacks happen to our grandfathers, not us.

THINK AGAIN

Heart disease is the leading cause of death among American women, claiming some 479,000 lives each year. The Michigan Department of Community Health and the American Heart Association estimate that 20 percent of women in Michigan have some form of cardiovascular disease, accounting for more than 30 percent of all deaths for women and the leading cause of death for women age 65 and older. It was the second leading cause of death for women 35 to 64.

Projections developed using the *National Health Interview Survey* suggest that approximately 10 percent of all women within southeastern Michigan have been treated for some degree and type of heart disease, causing more than 2,000 deaths in Wayne County, and more than 1,000 deaths in Macomb and Oakland Counties.

To offset these numbers, books, magazine articles and television programs are warning women to think as carefully as men do about "risk factors" for cardiovascular disease, including heredity, diet and stress. As a result, women are learning what kinds of habits and health conditions increase the chances of developing heart disease and how they can maintain a healthy heart.

READ ON

Coronary heart disease is an illness in which arteries become clogged with a waxy substance called plaque. When plaque builds up enough to block blood flow to the heart, the result can be a heart attack. (If blood flow to the brain is blocked, the effect is often a stroke.)

According to statistics reported by the American Medical Women's Association, 40 percent of women's heart attacks are termed "silent"-meaning that the women don't recognize their symptoms to be a heart attack, and often delay seeking medical attention and treatment.

In addition, a recent Gallup Poll indicated a lack of awareness among doctors and women concerning heart

disease. The poll showed that most primary care physicians are not sure of the warning signs specific to women and heart disease, so sometimes it can be misdiagnosed.

"Women need to pay attention to these symptoms, and their doctors need to be more attuned to them as potential



warning signs," said Sarine Patel, M.D., senior staff cardiologist with Henry Ford Health System.

While a man typically experiences crushing pain in his chest, a woman is just as likely to feel extremely tired, nauseated, short of breath, or have vague discomfort in her upper abdomen and back-sometimes in her jaw. Other symptoms in women include dizziness, swelling (particularly of the ankles and lower legs) and a fluttering or rapid heartbeat. Angina, a sudden tightening in the chest, is also common in women - but often mistaken for indigestion.

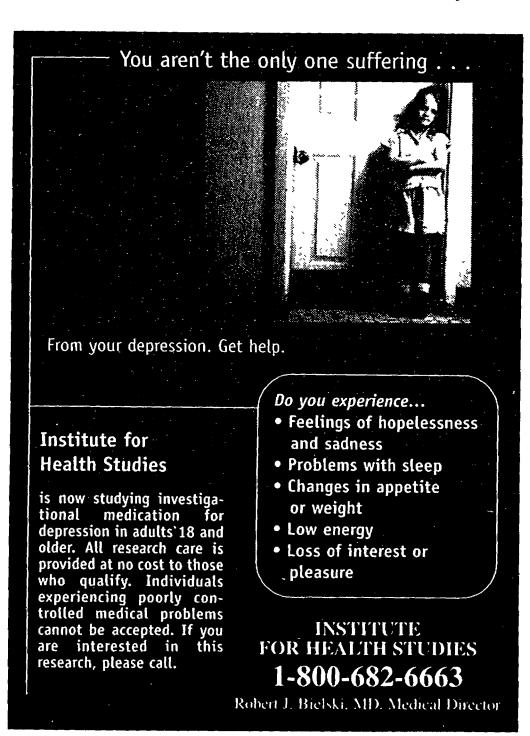
"A woman should describe these symptoms to her doctor, especially signs of extreme fatigue. When she says 'I used to be able to do this, but lately it tires me out,' that should set off warning bells that there may be heart trouble," Patel said.

HOW CAN YOU PREVENT HEART DISEASE?

Unless other risk factors are present (such as diabetes, high blood pressure or high cholesterol), estrogen tends to protect women from heart disease until menopause, Dr. Patel explains. "By the time a woman is post-menopausal (usually from age 50 to 55), she should begin to look at her risk factors, then concentrate on the ones she can control," she said. "If women smoke, that's the first thing I tell them to stop. Next is developing a regular exercise routine. If she is 50 and has no risk factors, she should discuss with her doctor whether or not she should begin hormone replacement therapy." Dr. Patel warns, however, that a pre-menopausal woman can be headed for heart problems if she has extreme risk factors like diabetes or high blood pressure, or she is overweight and smokes.

WHO'S AT RISK?

If you are pre-menopausal, your own estrogen most likely protects you from heart disease. But, if any of the



following applies to you, you're considered at risk; the more that apply, the greater the danger.

- You smoke. This habit is the biggest heart attack risk factor for women.
- You have a family history of premature heart disease. Your father, brother, grandfather, or uncle developed it before age 55, or your mother or another close relative had it before age 65.
- You are over 54. Or, you are going through premature menopause, and you aren't on estrogen replacement therapy.
- You don't exercise. Studies show that sedentary people are almost twice as likely to develop heart disease as physically active ones.
- You have diabetes or high blood pressure.
- You are obese. People who are more than 20 percent over their recommended weight are prone to heart disease, even if they have no other risk factors.
- Your HDL is below 35. An HDL count above 60 is thought to protect against heart disease, but anything between 35 and 60 is considered OK.

IF YOU THINK YOU ARE HAVING A HEART ATTACK:

- Don't delay, Dr. Patel warns. If symptoms persist for more than 10 minutes, seek medical attention.
- Don't try to drive. Let a friend or family member do the driving or, if no one is available, call 911 for an ambulance.
- Take an aspirin. Studies on men have shown that aspirin therapy improves the outcome after a heart attack. "Virtually all the aspirin studies have been done on men," Dr. Patel says. "But the results are so good, we recommend them for women also. However, this means taking an

aspirin if you think you're having a heart attack. The aspirin-aday therapy that has been recommend for men may not be appropriate for you. Discuss this with your doctor."

- Lie down while you're waiting for help. Don't move about, and try to stay calm.
- Unless your doctor tells you otherwise, go to a hospital. Doctors' offices and clinics are generally not equipped to handle cardiac emergencies.

A HEALTH WOMAN'S HEART PROFILE

- Overall cholesterol count: less than 200 milligrams per deciliter
- High-density lipoproteins (HDL): under 130 mg/dl
- Blood pressure: less than 140/90
- Blood sugar: under 126 mg/dl

To improve your numbers, get adequate exercise (a total of 30 minutes most days of the week) and follow a diet in which less than 30 percent of calories come from fat.

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TREATING STROKES AS AN EMERGENCY

Each year, half a million Americans suffer strokes; they are the third biggest killer, after heart attacks and cancer, and a leading cause of disability in the U.S. While about 20 percent of strokes are caused by a ruptured blood vessel, the vast majority occur when a blockage in an artery robs the brain of blood and oxygen. Only about 20 percent of patients who have strokes die from them, but many suffer paralysis and impaired speech and vision.

Because there have been no effective interventions

for stroke, most physicians and hospitals don't treat it as a medical emergency. Stroke symptoms are not as dramatic or painful as heart attacks, and fewer than 10 percent of all stroke victims make it to the hospital in time to be treated. Instead, patients are offered rehabilitation to try to gain back lost functions.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration recently approved the use of tissue plasminogen activator (tPA) for stroke treatment. tPA, the drug used so successfully for heart attacks, is administered immediately after a stroke to restore the flow of blood and oxygen to brain tissue before irreparable damage is done.

To test the drug's effectiveness on strokes, the National Institutes of Neurological Disorders and Stroke conducted research, in which the University of Michigan Health System participated. The results were

Michigan Health System participated. The results were published in the *New England Journal of Medicine*.

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According to the study, 31 percent of patients treated with tPA within three hours of a stroke showed full or nearly full recovery three months after the incident, compared to 20 percent of the untreated patients.

According to Carl Chudnofsky, M.D., an emergency medicine physician from the U-M Health System, for patients to benefit from tPA, there must be a shift in the way the health care system handles strokes. "The first hurdle is to educate patients so they call 911 immediately when experiencing symptoms," he said.

"Once they have reached the hospital, patients must be treated immediately and appropriately."

"The first hurdle is to educate patients so they call 911 immediately upon experiencing the symptoms of stroke."

LOW-STRENGTH ASPIRIN AVAILABLE FOR HEART ATTACK PREVENTION

A low-dose aspirin product, called Halfprin, is now available for people with risk factors for heart disease. Halfprin, from Kramer Laboratories, is the only low-dose aspirin currently approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

The low-dose aspirin regimen is prescribed to prevent a first heart attack. Risk factors include a family history of heart attacks, high cholesterol and high blood pressure. Low-strength aspirin should always be taken at the advice of a doctor, along with proper diet, exercise, lowering cholesterol and/or blood pressure, and stopping smoking.

SIGNS OF STROKE

Because tPA must be administered within hours of a stroke, patients should be sent to the hospital if they experience:

- Sudden weakness on one side
- Trouble speaking, or poorly articulated speech
- Sudden and severe decline in consciousness
- Loss of vision in one or both eyes; double vision
- Weakness and loss of coordination
- Dizziness and vomiting !!

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MEDICINE ON-LINE

The Internet can be a great source of medical information and advice. People use it to get information on how to prevent medical problems and to learn about diagnosis and treatments. According to *Newsweek*, two out of five people with Internet access

regularly look for medical information on-line; many others consult the Internet from local libraries or at work.

To ensure the quality of the medical advice available on-line, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has launched a Website

called "healthfinder," where consumers can find free information

from more than 1,000 sources including government and university data banks. You can find information on topics including cancer, children's disease, heart disease and stroke, mental disorders, exercise and nutrition.

To find information using healthfinder, to go http://www.healthfinder.gov or call (800) 336-4797.

For the price of a subscription to an on-line access service (about \$20 per month), you can also use your home computer to get material once available only at major medical libraries. Two examples:

- House Calls: Sponsored by the American Academy of Family Medicine; has information on more than 350 diseases, at http://www.HouseCall.com
- Ask the Dietitian: Nutritional advice from a registered dietitian at http://www.dietitian.com.

foods. How about some pasta with low-fat sauces, crispy low-fat crackers, red peppers and other spices along with some really good olive oil? Or, you can fill a basket full of pineapple, bananas, apples, oranges and grapes. Add some unusual fresh fruits like kiwi fruits or pomegranates, or dried fruits like prunes, dates or apricots. Another idea is to pull together a variety of spices, flavored vinegars and a low-fat cookbook.

- A great complement to healthy eating is a cheerful table setting. You can buy hand-painted pottery dishes, unusual serving utensils and sparkling glassware at local stores for reasonable prices. Add some colorful napkins and placemats and you're ready for a healthy meal.
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"Moms of all ages are looking to lead healthier lifestyles," said Melissa Zaniboni of Marshall's. "Gifts that support healthy behaviors will show mom that her wellbeing is important to you."

Here are some healthy gift ideas:

• Assemble a basket full of healthy



mom a basket filled with fine milled soaps, scented candles, massage oils, a loofah sponge and a facial mask. Add a meditation tape or one with soothing music and she can create her own mini-spa.

Finally, you might want to volunteer to grocery shop, take some clothes to the cleaners, get her car washed or

run some other errands that will give your mom time to enjoy these gifts. only during peak seasons and later, every few years. Dr. Paris says immunotherapy is available for allergies to cats, dogs, pollens, molds, house dust and venomous insects, such as bees.

With an array of effective treatments available, even allergy sufferers can get outside and enjoy that fresh spring air. 1.

SEASONAL ALLERGIES

While most of us look forward to warm spring days, others face this season with itchy eyes and runny noses. Ragweed, tree and grass pollens are flying high this month, so take care.

An allergy is a specific immunologic reaction to a substance or allergen that bothers some people

and ignores others, according to the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases. When allergic people come in contact with an allergen, their bodies produce histamines, which cause the uncomfortable symptoms.

The best approach to allergy relief is avoidance of the allergens that bother you. But, you may not know what they are, or there may be so many, you'd have to stay indoors to avoid them. But, there are options. The first includes over-the-counter remedies such as antihistamines, says S. William Paris, M.D., director of the Paris Allergy Centers in Farmington Hills, Livonia and Brighton. Dr. Paris is an asthma, allergy and immunology expert, who explains that over the counter medications usually contain antihistamines, which block the body's release of the chemical histamine, so symptoms such as watery eyes and a runny nose don't occur.

Another remedy, decongestants, help stop drainage and shrink membranes, but do nothing to stop the itching and sneezing, Dr. Paris says.

For hay fever, there are plenty of oral and topical medications that don't cause drowsiness and can be given with a decongestant, Dr. Paris explains. If needed, the final step in treatment is immunotherapy, or the injection of the offending allergen into the patient. The shots are delivered on a set schedule to build a patient's immunity to the allergen. Eventually, the shots are needed

ARE YOUR LEGS KEEPING YOU AWAKE?

A little-known condition called Periodic Limb Movement Disorder (PLMD) is the cause of about 20 percent of insomnia cases seen at the Michigan Institute of Sleep Medicine at Providence Medical Center in Novi.

"Usually, when I see patients with PLMD, they don't realize that uncontrollable leg twitches or leg jerks during the night are the cause of their sleeplessness," said William T. Allen, M.D., associate director of the Institute. "They're relieved that their sleep difficulties can be identified and treated."

About 30 percent of PLMD cases are inherited and the syndrome primarily affects older adults. Symptoms include uncomfortable sensations in the legs when sitting or lying still-especially at bedtime-and pain in the calves that can be temporarily relieved by stretching or moving the legs.

While there is no cure for the disorder, treatment is usually very effective. Medications can control the abnormal muscle twitches and allow patients with PLMD to get a restful night's sleep.



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CAN YOU EAT TO BEAT DISEASE?

the connection between your diet and your health. In addition to the known links such as high cholesterol foods and heart disease, calcium rich foods and osteoporosis, or iron and anemia, can you really eat your way to good health?

"There most definitely is a link between diet and disease," said Pamela Savage-Marr, R.D., system facilitator with Oakland Healthcare Community Health System's Division, and national spokesperson American Dietetic for the Association. "For example, it's been proven that 30 to 40 percent of all cancers can be avoided by changing lifestyle and eating habits."

Savage-Marr explains that colon cancer can be connected to lack of fiber, just as too much fat in the diet along with increased weight are associated with breast cancer.

"If women gain large amounts of weight in their 40s, their chance of getting breast cancer increases," she said. "But, even 10 pounds can be troublesome; as the weight goes up, so does the risk."

"But, people don't have to take drastic measures to avoid disease," she adds. "It's not necessary to eliminate certain foods, it's eating them in moderation."

Colds and flu

These days, people are finding creative ways to offset the symptoms of colds and flu. During the cold and flu seasons, you can reinforce your immunity by taking the following steps:

- Eat fruit. Replace high fat treats with fresh fruits, which contain immunity-boosting vitamins and minerals, including vitamin C.
- Use garlic. Garlic contains numerous sulfur-containing compounds that have potent antibacterial effects. They inhibit germs' ability to grow and reproduce, similar to the way penicillin fights infection.



Heart disease

It's been proven that lifestyle changes, including your eating habits, can help fight heart disease.

- Avoid saturated fat, which Savage-Marr says raises the cholesterol in your body even if the fat contains none by itself.
- •Get into legumes. Several times a week, replace red meat with fish and legumes, including beans and peas. Legumes are rich in saponins that lower cholesterol levels, and include fiber, which also fights cholesterol.
- Choose plant-based foods. Try to get most of your calories from fruits and vegetables, grains and legumes; they are full of vitamins, minerals and fiber.

Osteoporosis

A healthful diet may prevent or at least improve bone loss. For example:

- •Drink milk and eat other calciumrich foods. In addition to dairy products like skim milk, yogurt and hard cheese, you should include two daily servings of broccoli and spinach.
- •There are a number of products now fortified with calcium, says Savage-Marr. Examples include orange juice, tofu and yogurt. Look for added calcium on the label.

The National Academy of Sciences and The American Dietetic Association recently revised their guidelines for calcium intake:

- Children 1 to 3 years old, 500 mg
- Children 4 to 8, 800 mg
- Adolescents 9 to 13, 1,300 mg
- Teenagers 14 to 18, 1,300 mg
- Adults 19 to 30, 1,000 mg
- Adults 31 to 50, 1,000 mg
- Adults 51 and older, 1,200 mg

The ADA stresses that meeting these daily recommendations is nec-

essary for optimal health, but there is no known benefit for healthy people to go beyond these amounts.

PMS

You can lessen the incidence and strength of PMS symptoms by taking the following dietary steps during the two weeks leading up to your period:

- Curb cravings with carbs (not sweets). High sugar intake may actually aggravate the mood swings and depression that signal PMS. Try fruits, vegetables and specialty breads.
- •Limit sodium. Eat salty foods in moderation to manage the swelling and breast tenderness associated with fluid retention.
- Eat more fiber. Eat two fiber-rich fruits, vegetables, whole grains or legumes at each meal. Imbalances of the estrogen and progesterone hormones can contribute to PMS, but a high-fiber diet enhances estrogen excretion and can improve hormonal balance and ease PMS symptoms.
- •Limit alcohol and caffeine. They can aggravate mood swings.

Fatigue

Maintaining steady levels of blood-sugar and nutrients is vital to everyday performance, both physical and mental. Without a regular supply of nutritious foods, blood-sugar drops and the body runs out of fuel the result is fatigue. Here's how to keep your energy levels steady:

- Don't skip meals. Eat small meals and snacks throughout the day to keep energy levels in balance.
- Eat iron-rich foods. Consume several iron-rich foods daily, including extra lean meat, leafy green vegetables, legumes and dried apricots. Many cereals also are fortified with iron. Low iron levels can starve your tissues of oxygen, resulting in fatigue and poor concentration.
- Limit sugar and caffeine. The initial high they produce is quickly followed by drained energy.
- •Drink plenty of liquids. Often fatigue indicates dehydration. Drink a glass of water every two hours throughout the day, more if you are exercising.

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ASK YOUR DOCTOR ABOUT MENOPAUSE

Lenopause is a crucial time in any woman's life; it's also an important time to develop a good relationship with her doctor. Because a woman's healthcare needs are changing, effective communication is key; yet, many women hesitate to ask the necessary questions to get the information they need.

According to the Wyeth-Ayerst Annual Menopause Report, while nine in 10 mid-life women believe it's important to talk to a doctor about menopause, nearly three in 10 don't do it.

By establishing a successful partnership with her doctor, a woman will be able to play an active role in making decisions about her health. According to Ruth Jacobowitz, author of 150 Most Asked Questions About Menopause, a woman facing menopause should:

- Be proactive. Do some research on menopause before the appointment; stop by in advance and ask for some reading material or look through articles on menopause in one of the many women's magazines available at book stores or in the library.
- Be prepared. Know her personal and family history. If her mother or grandmother had osteoporosis, she should be sure to mention it to her doctor. She also should bring a list of symptoms, complaints and questions for discussion.
- Listen. But don't be afraid to ask questions. If she doesn't understand something, she should ask her doctor to explain it again.
- Follow-up. Recognize her doctor-patient relationship is ongoing. She should call on this partnership throughout her menopausal years and beyond.

ALTERNATIVE REMEDIES FOR ARTHRITIS

Arthritis is a painful, debilitating disease that effects one in seven Americans. Because there is no known cure, patients and their doctors must seek out ways to relieve symptoms. In this quest, arthritis sufferers can get desperate for something

safer and more effective than drugs, which may help control the symptoms but often cause harsh side effects. Many patients turn to alternative remedies, some of which can be promising says Consumer Reports

on Health. For example:

- Some evidence does suggest that fish-oil supplements may be helpful for rheumatoid arthritis, though they're expensive and may have side-effects.
- The evidence that fish, antioxidant nutrients, vitamin D, or estrogen therapy may help prevent or fight arthritis is slim. But it does provide another possible incentive for consuming plenty of fish, produce and vitamin E; for getting enough vitamin D; and for taking estrogen if you're post menopausal.
- After a discussion with your doctor (particularly if you have diabetes), you could try glucosamine chondroitin; however, at this time there is very little scientific evidence of its benefit. Most recommendations are anecdotal.
- Acupuncture has been recognized by the National Institutes of Health as a therapy for pain. But, if you want to try it for arthritis, be aware that you might be disappointed, and the costly treatments (not covered by most insurance plans) may continue for a long time.

Researchers looking for Arthritis cure

With support from the Arthritis Foundation and the National Institutes of Health, researchers are collecting medical information and DNA from 1,000 families with members who have developed rheumatoid arthritis and have at least one surviving parent.

Twelve medical centers across the country are participating in this study, and are recruiting patients for the project. Northwestern University in Chicago will cover the Michigan area; however, nurses collecting data will visit patients at their local doctors' offices, so if you are interested and your family qualifies, call (800) 382-4827.

For more information on exercise classes, self-help and support groups, literature and referrals to rheumatologists, check the phone book for your local chapter of the Arthritis Foundation, or call (800) 383-7800.

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Get the lead out

Any house or apartment built before 1978 may contain lead-based paint. (Most homes built before 1960 contain lead-based paint.) When paint is chipped, sanded or scraped, it breaks into tiny pieces that your child may swallow or inhale. Even small repairs and renovations can create enough lead dust and chips to harm your child. Be sure to take appropriate safety measures before doing any repairs or renovations on your home.

- Before you disturb a surface with lead-based paint, have the area tested.
- Have the repairs done by a professional who has been trained to protect you and your family.
- Keep your children away from lead sources when you can.
- Have your child's blood tested if you suspect exposure to lead.
- Have your tap water tested.

- Let cold water run from the tap for at least 30 seconds before drinking and cooking.
- Be alert for chipping and flaking paint.
- Use safety tested interior paints on toys, walls and furniture.
- Store food in glass, plastic or stainless steel containers not in open cans.

For more information, contact the Children's Hospital of Michigan Poison Control Center at (313) 745-5711.

WHEN MOM AND DAD GET MAD...

What parent wouldn't admit that one of the most difficult times in parenting is when you get angry at your child? But, the more important issue is how you handle that anger. It's crucial to find ways to work with your anger so that it is not harmful to your child or to you. Here are some suggestions:

- The key point is to communicate feelings in ways that are not abusive.
 For example, you can tell your children that you feel upset or frustrated, but it's not because they are bad. It may be about something they've done, not what they are.
- Kids turn off to long lectures. Use a quick, effective phrase for forgotten rules. "Take the dishes off the table." "Hang up your coat." "No interrupting."
- Limit rules to five or six areas that are important to you. With a finite number of clear rules, you are less likely to get upset over little things.
- When a child has done something that upsets you, it's important to focus on that one problem-not on the child himself. Don't run down a long list of complaints; that just confuses the child.
- If you do blow up at a child, it's good to apologize after you've calmed down. (That doesn't mean

you should back down about which behavior made you mad.) An apology teaches a child that you are human and can make mistakes.

Testing Authority

Sometimes conflict ensues when children balk at rules, argue with your directions, or just want to do everything their way. These disagreements are usually caused by your child's need for independence - a normal and healthy response from growing children who are testing their limits. Finding a way to encourage this healthy trait while keeping conflicts to a minimum requires some smooth handling on the part of parents. Here are some suggestions:

 All battles are not equal. Experienced families learn ways to decide which battles are worth fighting based on



family rules, personal values, important priorities, and the child's safety. For example, you may find it's more important for your child to finish their homework than clean up their room.

- Give your child choices, such as, "Would you like to wear your yellow or green T-shirt?" and "Do you prefer a peanut butter and jelly or turkey sandwich?" This gives the child a sense of power and respect.
- Spend positive time with your child, doing things he or she likes. If you spend practically all your time together doing chores, dressing for school, getting ready for bed and other routine tasks, all interactions may become a battle of wills with very little pleasant time together.

Find creative ways to get your child's cooperation rather than trying to "win" every time. When you can find ways to respect both yours and your child's needs, you both win. Good books to read on the subject of parents and anger include:

Don't Take It Out on Your Kids! by Katherine Kersey, Berkeley Books, 1994

When Kids Are Mad, Not Bad by Henry A. Paul, M.D., Berkeley Books, 1995



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TOO TIRED TO MOVE? READ THIS.

Chronic-fatigue syndrome—that can leave its victims tired and weak for months, may be helped by exercise, according to a study published in the *British Medical Journal*.

Researchers studied 59 patients who had chronic-fatigue syndrome. Half embarked on a graduated aerobic exercise regimen of walking, cycling or swimming at least five days a week. They began with five to 15 minute exercise sessions and gradually built up to a half-hour. The other group of patients kept the same schedule, but did stretching and relaxation exercises instead of aerobics.

After 12 weeks, half the aerobic exercisers rated themselves as feeling "very much better" or "much better" compared with those in the stretching group. Almost three-quarters of the exercisers felt even better a year later.

Doctors usually recommend eating a healthy diet, getting enough sleep and avoiding stress to relieve the symptoms of chronic-fatigue. Adding aerobics may be the best treatment of all.

THE WONDERS OF WALKING

If you want to lose weight, tone muscles and build endurance, why not try a low-risk, high-yield exercise that involves nothing more than putting one foot in front of the other?

Ah yes, we're talking about walking. It's free and instantly available, it can be done just about anywhere, it doesn't involve a lot of expensive gear, and it can be ideal for someone who's just beginning an exercise program. Walking also can aid in digestion, increase your energy level, combat insomnia and give you pleasure. And, because you're earth-bound, walking spares your joints and tendons.

Fitness experts recommend that you walk three to five days a week and gradually work up to three or four miles an hour. If you speed up to around 12 minutes a mile and vigorously pump your arms, you move into

power walking, which allows you to increase aerobic capacity, burn more calories and exercise all your major muscle groups.

The walking spectrum Regular walking

Between 15 and 20 minutes per mile, three times per week, reduces body fat and the risk of heart disease by almost 20 percent.

Power walking

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Jogging

Jogging is equally good for the cardio-respiratory system, but its impact can take a toll on knees, ankles and the lower lumbar region.

Race walking

At up to 8 miles per hour this is a much higher impact activity, with a strenuous gait and hip action; a high-fitness, long-distance sport.

Try water walking

When enthusiasts say walking is good because you can do it anywhere, they really mean it! Walking in water can be just as therapeutic as walking on land.

Aqua jogger classes, water aerobics and aqua step classes are among the exercise options offered at the South Oakland Family YMCA. Aquatics director Keith Dollard says the classes are popular with lots of folks from young adults to seniors.

"Some people take our classes because they've had trouble with their ankles, knees or lower backs," Dollard said. "Water

"WATER WORKS AS THERAPY"

For information on water therapy, read Comprehensive Aquatic Therapy, published by Butterworth-Heinemann, 313 Washington Street, Newton, MA, 02158-1626.

decreases body weight so you can exercise in it without straining your muscles or joints."

The aquatics classes are 45 minutes long with the same warm up, cool down and stretching routine you do on land. But, there's a big difference.

"In water, you can work out at your own pace, from mild to intense depending on your motivation and fitness level," Dollard said. "Because there is less impact, you also can work out longer."

Other reasons why water walking is a great exercise include:

- Water walking is easy to learn and requires no swimming skills.
- Vertical water fitness combines the toning of weight training, the cardio benefits of aerobics and the enhanced flexibility gained

through yoga - in one 30-minute workout.

- Water is a natural and instantly adjustable weight-training machine, providing resistance in all directions to tone and strengthen the muscles. Add foam barbells and you get even more resistance, says Dollard.
 - •Studies show that water workouts strengthen the abdominals without doing a single sit-up and effectively burns fat and calories.



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CRITTENTON HOSPITAL

For a complete list of support groups and programs, call (248) 652-5100.

May 20-HouseCalls. "What's New About Thyroid Disease." 7:30-9 pm. To register, call 1-888-90-4HEALTH.

May 21-Children's Communication Workshop. 2-4 pm. \$7 per person or \$10 per couple. To register, call (248) 652-5315.

HENRY FORD HEALTH SYSTEM

For more information on programs and events offered through Henry Ford Health System, call (313) 874-6731.

OAKLAND COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

For information and programs offered at the branch nearest you, please call:

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OAKWOOD HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

For a complete listing on health and education programs, call 1-800-543-WELL.

May 16- Osteoporosis Screening. Garden City, 9:30-11:30 am. \$10 fee. For information, call 1-800-543-WELL.

May 20-*Heart Health Screening*. 9-11 am, \$5 fee. For more information call 1-800-543-WELL. May 27-*Osteoporosis Screening*. North Westland, 1-5 pm. \$10 fee. For information, call 1-800-543-WELL.

PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL

For a complete schedule of events and health programs, call (248) 424-5770.

May 19-Heartsaver/Basic Life Support. For those 12 years and older interested in learning basic knowledge of the heart and lungs, signs and symptoms of a heart attack and stroke, adult CPR and choking rescue skills. 6-9 pm. \$25 fee.

May 26-*Infant/Pediatric CPR*. For those 12 years and older interested in learning basic knowledge of the heart and lungs, household safety tips, CPR and choking rescue skills for infants and children one to eight years old. 6-9 pm. \$25 fee.

ST. JOHN HEALTH SYSTEM OAKLAND HOSPITAL

For more information about programs and health services, call 1-888-757-5463.

Ongoing

Aging Resource Center, located at the Madison Heights Branch Library at 26552 John R, in Madison Heights. Call (248) 967-7700 or (248) 541-7880 for more information.

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ST. JOSEPH MERCY-ANN ARBOR

For a complete schedule of events and health programs, call the St. Joseph Mercy HealthLine at 1-800-231-2211.

May 16, 17-A *Heart-to-Heart*Conversation for Mothers and
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For a complete schedule of events and health programs, call the Mercy Health Line at 1-800-372-6094. Ongoing

Diabetes Education Classes. For individuals with diabetes, their families and friends. Classes currently offered run six consecutive nights. Afternoon classes are also available. For dates, times and locations, please call the Mercy Health Line at 1-800-372-6094.

Pumpers Club. Educational support group for diabetics following tight control and/or using the insulin pump. For dates, times and locations, please call the Mercy Health Line at 1-800-372-6094.

ST. MARY HOSPITAL

For a complete schedule of community programs, call (734) 655-2956.
May 21-**Premarital AIDS Class.**7-8 pm, \$25 fee.

May 28-*Breastfeeding Class*. 7-9 pm, \$15 fee.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER

For a complete calendar of community events and health programs offered at U of M, please call the Health Education Resource Center at (734) 647-5645.

WAYNE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

For the satellite branch closest to you in Wayne County, and a complete list of services in your area, please call (734) 467-3300.

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WILLIAM BEAUMONT HOSPITAL

For a complete list of community events and health programs, call 1-800-633-7377. May 16-"Asthma Fair." Day-long program educates families about the detection and treatment of asthma. 9:30 am-2:30 pm. Call 1-800-633-7377 to register.

May 19-Cardiopulmonary
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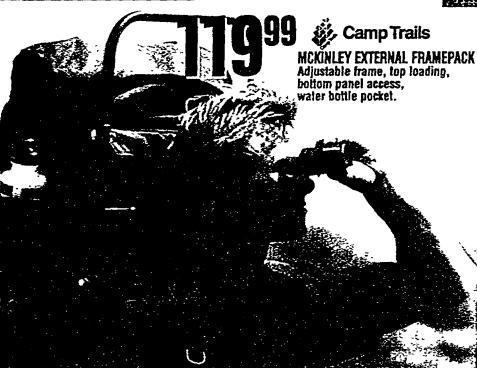
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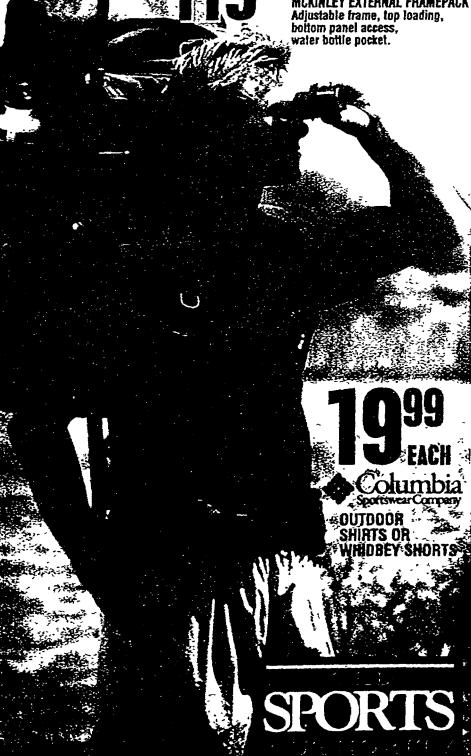


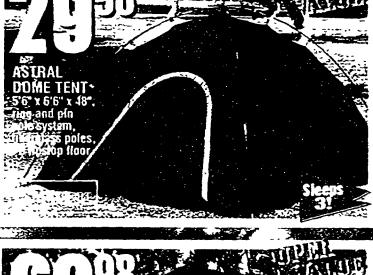


















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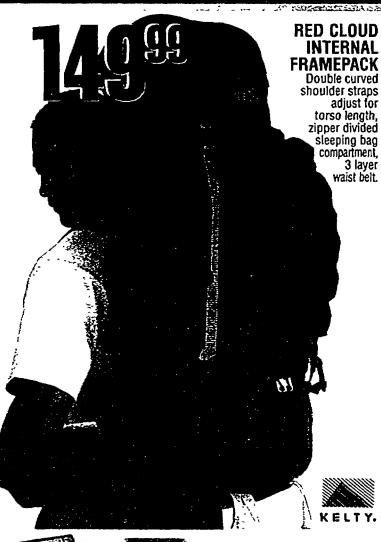
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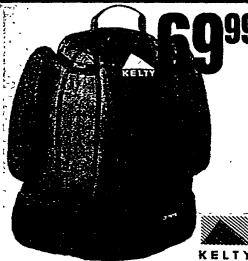
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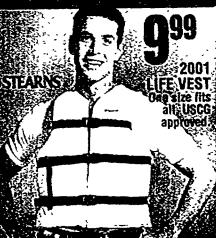
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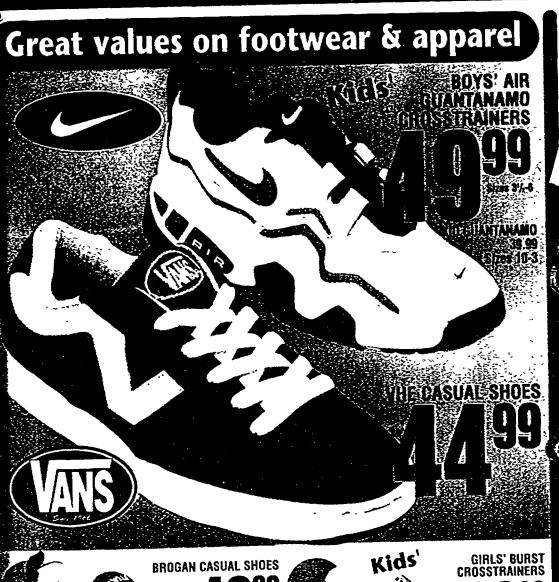


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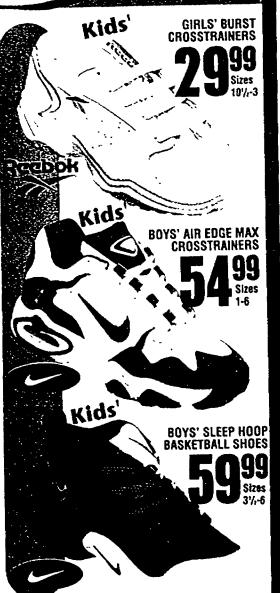


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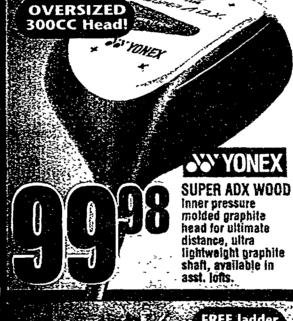
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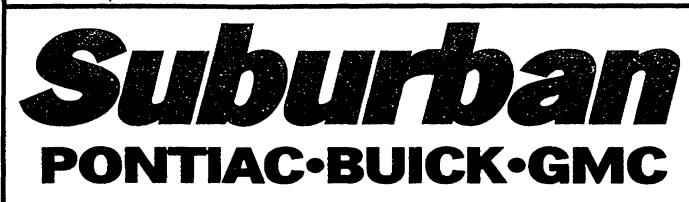
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KC. Mueller believes as we do that we must help the families of our hometown build a better future. She shares our feelings for the large number of senior citizens concerned about the world their grand children will grow up in.

K.C. Mueller wants to work with all of us to create safe neighborhoods.

K.C. Mueller supports the small business man and woman and doesn't want to see them taxed out of business.

K.C. Mueller agrees that we need 'creative sentencing' in order to deal with the overcrowding of our prisons and the additional tax burden our present system fosters.

K.C. Mueller shares our belief in wanting to see a quality school system that will prepare our children for good jobs. We need to have affordable college opportunities so that our children can continue their education and preparedness for the working world.

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